

DEATH IN THE CLOTHING FROM GREAT BRITAIN?

Charges Which Have Caused Loud Outcry From Yorkshire Mill Owners.

An enquiry at the offices of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association by The World reveals that the "manifesto" which has stirred the wrath of British woolen mills men, especially those in Yorkshire, is not a special publication by the association, but an article in the August number of the association's journal, Industrial Canada. The article, which has the caption, "Death in the Clothing," is as follows:

One of the most unfortunate features of the clothing of the Canadian market with the products of British woolen mills is that some of the cheaper lines of goods and shoddy brought into Canada for the manufacture of cheap clothing are a real danger to the health of the wearers, as well as of those who are employed to make them up.

It is, perhaps, not generally known, but it is none the less a fact, that the shoddy imported into Canada is made out of all manner of filthy material. Old rags and rubbish from the lowest and most disease-infected slums of the great European cities, including even the sweepings of floors, cobwebs swept from dusty walls and all manner of garbage, enter into the composition of the shoddy that comes into Canada, and is put into suits for people who have to purchase cheap clothing. Suits that can be bought at retail for four or five dollars, and pants at less than a dollar, cannot, it stands to reason, be manufactured out of material of any real value. The fact is, foreign shoddy can justly be described as "base" made into a pulp and then rolled out to look like cloth that can be panned off on the unfortunate, to whom cheapness is a consideration.

It is little short of a crime to allow such stuff to come into Canada at all. It is no advantage to the workman to purchase a suit for a few dollars that cannot and does not wear. A shower of rain will almost literally melt such a suit off a man's back, and if he subjects it to the least strain it is bound to tear without mending. It is no kindness to allow such goods to be put in his way. Before the preferential tariff went into force, the quality of the cheaper lines of clothing sold in Canada was greatly superior to what it is to-day. Then the workman paid a dollar or two more for his clothing, but he got value for his money and he was not exposed to the danger of contracting some filthy or incurable disease.

The cloth for cheap clothing was then manufactured in Canada, and the material that went into the making of it was both sanitary and substantial. Now, however, it is impossible for the Canadian manufacturer to turn out a substantial shoddy in competition with the stuff that is allowed to come into the country under the preference. If the government would only investigate this question and learn of some of the dangers to which they are exposing the people of this country who are compelled to wear cheap clothing, we feel satisfied that they would take measures to put a stop to the importation of such trash, even to the extent of prohibiting it as they would a plague. The charges in the foregoing article may cut some figure at the approaching convention of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association as the crisis in the Canadian woolen industry will be one of the chief topics before that gathering.

Secretary Murray of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association said to The World last night that the following message to the Batley Chamber of Commerce:

"We are exceedingly sorry that any such misunderstanding should have arisen. We have not issued any manifesto as the Batley Chamber of Commerce appears to think. Neither has any committee of the association, the woolen sections or the executive council considered the question of the possibility of disease being brought into Canada in textiles from Great Britain. The whole trouble seems to have arisen from an article in the August issue of Industrial Canada. The association deeply regrets that its own organ should have been the medium for an article on 'British woolen mills' which may have done them an injustice and to show its sincerity cabled this afternoon the following message to the Batley Chamber of Commerce:

"G. M. Murray, Secretary."

THE ONLY WAY. (Canadian Associated Press Cable.) LONDON, Sept. 4.—The Glasgow Herald says it is impossible to see how reciprocity can be achieved unless the West Indies unify their tariffs, and opines that it is a possibility of a not distant future.

Takes a Holiday. F. H. McGulgan left on the Grand Trunk at 10.15 last night for Portland to spend Sunday with his family at the seaside.

Lieut.-Governor Sees Sight. Lieut.-Governor Clark and Lady Clark visited the exhibition grounds for the first time yesterday.

SHREDDED

Enjoy yourself during Exhibition. Eat plenty of Shredded Wheat and milk or cream, then you won't feel the strain nearly so much. Try it with fresh peaches.

SOLD BY ALL GROCERS.

See it being made in the Process Building at the Exhibition.

WHEAT

ST. VITUS' DANCE

A Severe Case Cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

St. Vitus' dance is a disease of the nerves, brought on by a morbid condition of the blood. It is a common disease with children and attacks females oftener than males. The only cure lies in plenty of pure blood, because good blood is the life food of the nerves. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cure even the most severe forms of this trouble, because they enrich the blood supply, thus carrying the necessary food to the nerves. In proof of this we have the statement of Mrs. Alex. Cameron, Summerside, P.E.I., who says: "Some years ago my daughter, Lena, then a child of ten years, became afflicted with St. Vitus' dance. At that time she was attending school, and the first indication I had that something was wrong was that she appeared easily discouraged in her studies. She was naturally a spirited child, not given to tears, but she would cry over what I thought should be the easy work for her. The disease progressed so rapidly that in the course of a few weeks she became unable to hold anything in her hands, and we were obliged to take her out of school. She became so afflicted that she could not hold a cup to her lips without suddenly losing hold of it. I knew from the first by the symptoms that her ailment was St. Vitus' dance, and despairing of seeing her cured, as it was looked on as such a hopeless ailment. She became so bad that she could not hold herself still for the space of ten seconds. Her hands or feet were continually moving, and last of all she would comfort her features so that she was losing her natural expression. At this stage I chanced on a paper containing a testimonial in favor of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, describing the cure of a little child afflicted as mine was. I hastened to get a couple of boxes of the pills, and by the time she had used them I noticed a decided change for the better, and purchased a further supply. By the time she had taken seven boxes she was entirely cured. Although she seemed thoroughly cured, I was afraid the disease might return again, but it never did, and she has since enjoyed the best of health. I cannot thank Dr. Williams' Pink Pills enough for what they did for my child, and I hope my experience may be of benefit to someone afflicted as my daughter was."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all medicine dealers, or may be obtained by mail at 50c a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Brockville, Ont.

PIONEERS, ENGINEERS

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which the inhabitants of the far east indulge in, and show is situated right in the centre of the midway of the left hand side and has a large and refined patronage.

See the Glassblowers. One of the refined attractions of the exhibition midway is that of O. H. John's glassblowers, who are straining their interesting and instructive methods. Thousands of people have already seen things in this tent that will furnish topics for discussion for months to come. They make and give away many delicate and highly colored articles.

Webb's Pavilion. There is accommodation for 500 people in Webb's dining hall, where small, nicely decorated tables obviate the necessity of being crowded and assure a prompt and individual service. Full course dinner at 50 cents.

Fine Metal Exhibit. Probably the most complete display of metals on the exhibition grounds is that of the Canada Metal Company, Ltd., a company well known throughout the Dominion. Headquarters are on William-street, Toronto. W. G. Harris is general manager and in charge. Their exhibit is bright and attractively lighted with electricity.

The Harris heavy pressure rabbit machine for an ordinary work are one of the chief features. With these are solder, lead pipe, newspaper metals and plumbers' non-synon traps, the latter being a new product this year. Brass castings also form an important part of this excellent display. All metal men should see these specialties, centrally located in machinery hall.

Simplex Gas Lighting System. Residents of rural districts, who intend visiting Toronto Exhibition, should make it a point to see the display of gas generators and accessories of the Simplex Gas Company, Limited, 40 York-street (near Union Station).

The new safety carbide feed of the Simplex machine has attracted universal attention and has already revolutionized modern methods of acetylene lighting.

As a device of merit it warrants the closest investigation by those in search of a perfect lighting system.

Delicious, Dainty Confections. A bewildering array of fancy and standard biscuits, comprising 500 varieties that would appeal to the most fastidious taste, is exhibited by Christie, Brown & Co. in the main aisle of the manufacturers' building. The artists' arrangement of the booth is another indication of the idealism that has characterized every product of this nationally known firm. The appetizing appearance of everything displayed has made this one of the centres of interest at the fair. Marked courtesy will be shown everyone who visits this feature.

Seven Beauties. When going down the "Corduroy" don't fail to visit the "Seven English

A SQUARE DEAL JAMIESON At Rounded Corner

After being over thirty years in business Jamieson this fall comes before the people of Toronto and Ontario with a volume of stock in Clothing and Men's Furnishings, and at prices never before equalled in his long experience. Buying for cash in the largest houses in immense quantities it follows that he commands prices not within the reach of smaller dealers. His customers reap the benefit of these things. It is only possible in illustration of this to quote a few prices in the various Departments.



\$10 and \$12 Men's Suits, \$8.95

Men's Blue Serge Suits, single and double breasted, all sizes 35 to 44. Some fit stout and short men. Odds and ends from our regular stock selling at \$10 and \$12. On sale Saturday 8.95

\$14 Men's Rain and Topper Coats, \$10

Men's Imported Cravenette Raincoats and Topper Overcoats, in shades of olive and dark Oxford greys. The Raincoats are full 50 inch long and cut roomy with hand padded collars, and the Topper Overcoats are the well-padded shoulders with the long lapels. On sale Saturday 10.00

\$10 Men's Fall Overcoats \$7.95

A Snap to Commence the Fall Season in Men's Three-Quarter Overcoats. This little lot is the balance of some of our \$12 grey-worsted and dark fancy chevrons, in sizes 35 to 40 only. On sale Saturday 7.95

\$12 and \$15 Men's Suits \$6.98

Men's Fall and Winter Suits, single and double-breasted, all dark patterns and good weights in Scotch tweeds, sizes 35 to 44. Regular price \$12 to \$15. On sale Saturday 6.98

Five Hundred Boys' School Suits To Be Sacrificed Saturday

Mothers, this is the opportunity of a lifetime. Ready cash procured for us at our own price one of the finest wholesale stocks of Boys' Clothing in Canada. To-day we turn them over to you at prices that do not cover the cost of the making. Time does not permit us to list prices, but we merely mention a couple as a hint of what this sale really means.

\$5.25 Boys' 2-Piece Suits \$1.50

Stylish, well-tailored little suits in light and dark colors, plain and fancy materials in the popular Buster Brown, bloomer and knee pant styles, with roll or sailor collars. A regular \$5.25 suit, Saturday 1.50

\$5.75 Boys' 2-Piece Suits \$1.98

Beautifully tailored little garments that mothers will appreciate. All the latest styles, all-wool, light and dark materials, suitable for school or Sunday wear. Regular \$5.75 suits, Saturday 1.98



BARBER SHOP IN BASEMENT

It's a positive pleasure to be waited upon in this the largest Basement Barber Shop in Canada. No money has been spared in perfect appointments and equipment in all departments.

Visit it once and you will come regularly. EIGHT CHAIRS NO WAITING

Shave - 10c Hair Cut - 20c

Expert Workmen Compressed Air Sterilized Instruments

Electric Face Massage 25c Electric Head Rub 10c

Don't Fail to Visit the Marble Palace Entrance to Basement on Queen Street

IN THE SHOE DEPT.

Our Shoe Department is ready with the newest lasts and styles for Fall and Winter, in the finest American footwear. Exhibition visitors are invited to see our display.

American Shoes in the latest lasts, patent leathers, tan, gun, metals, etc.; the finest creations. Priced at \$4.25 and 4.50

Leather Lined Tan Shoes. A handsome line made to our special order. Waterproof, durable and stylish. Priced at 4.95

BOYS' SHOES FOR SCHOOL WEAR The kind that give service and good looks, a full line of leathers, regular \$1.75 per pair. Saturday 1.50

Ask to see our leader. The Hope Shoe for men. A \$3.50 \$5 shoe for 3.50

HATS

Newest English and American makes of Fall Hats—the latest styles and shapings.

See our celebrated Sovereign Hat at 2.00



CIGAR AND TOBACCO DEPARTMENT IN BASEMENT

15c El Dia clear Havana box of 25 1.25

Samples 4 for 25c.

10c Manuel Victor Reduced to 5c 10c Beresford 10c Creme de la Creme 10c Magi 10c Chamberlain Each

Box of 50 Extra Choice Cigars For \$1.25 Box Amadora 3 for 10c. Box of 50 for \$1.50

Jamieson's Special 5c Each Jamieson's Dollar Mixture Sample Pkg. 5c Jamieson's Special Cigarettes 20 in Pkg. 15c

Briar Pipes, Best Quality 15c, 25c and 35c

French Briar Pipes in Plush-Lined Cases,

Entrance to Basement on Queen Street

PHILIP JAMIESON, Corner Queen and Yonge Streets

Roses. They're all peaches. An English pantomime, put on by six beautiful girls and a clown, is a side-splitter. Some fine singing and dancing is introduced in this act. It should be a good recommendation to note that crowds are being turned away hourly.

Phrenology and Palmistry. Character delineation from the hand and head is the specialty of Madame Baxter, who is conducting a large symposium on midway at the exhibition. Five hundred readings since the fair opened.

Brown's Dining Tent. A guarantee of satisfaction goes with every ticket purchased at Brown's dining tent. Cleanliness and promptness our specialty. Beginning to-day, meals 35 cents each. Money refunded if displeased.

Pay as You Leave. For a clean wholesome meal go to Bird's large marquee opposite the main entrance to the exhibition, grand stand. There has been an unusually large patronage. Pay as you are leaving.

"Juice" Saved by New Motor. A saving of current is an important factor of consideration in purchasing a motor and if a guarantee goes with

each article the product should be doubly assuring. In addition to their fantastic display of sky-scraping ladders for fire fighting and weathercock installation purposes, the Fleming Aerial Ladder Company are showing the famous Kay improved electric motors, upon which they have lately secured the patent rights. All sizes for all purposes are exhibited in the machinery hall.

Fine Display of Ammonia. In the centre wing of the process building there is to be found one of the finest displays in the grounds. It consists of mounted moose heads, wolf head and Mr. J. B. Paine's famous Ammonia Powder, called "The Bull Dog Brand." If you make it worth your while visiting them, they are pleased to give you a souvenir, such as fans, flags and samples of their useful goods—Ammonia Powder, which no home should be without. They say they are glad to see you, and are sure they can please you. Don't fail to see their display.

The Tel-Electric Piano Player. This marvelous invention is being demonstrated at the Newcombe Piano Parlors, manufacturers' building. The human finger touch is approximated to a degree impossible with the old pneumatic player action and the

piano can be played from a distance. The expression and phrasing with the Tel-Electric is a delight, and no one interested in music should fail to see and hear this wonderful instrument.

FOUND IN CANAL Clerk in Civil Service Ends Life at Ottawa.

OTTAWA, Sept. 4.—(Special.)—The body of James H. Carroll, a clerk in the auditor-general's department, who has been missing since Monday, was found in the Rideau Canal to-day. It is believed to be a case of suicide, as Carroll tried to go away with him self a short time ago.

The deceased was about 32 years of age and a native of Inverness, N.S.

Piano Sale Saturday. With the summer season closed the piano warehouses throughout the city will be open from this on Saturday afternoon. The old firm of Heintzman & Co., Ltd., 115-117 King-street west, will use the occasion for a special sale of slightly used square and upright pianos at remarkable bargain prices, and on easy terms.

Wilfrid Madigan was fined \$10 and costs for auto speeding.

MILLION DOLLAR PROJECT.

Co-operators Hold Enthusiastic Meeting Last Night in Labor Temple.

A largely attended and enthusiastic meeting of those interested in the establishment of a million dollar Dominion Co-operative Association to conduct general stores in Toronto and other cities of the Dominion, was held at the Labor Temple last night. Alex. Gray was elected chairman of the organization committee. Addresses were made by H. Kitley, Geo. Evans and H. Macdonald. The meeting adjourned to meet again at the Labor Temple next Friday night.

Western Excursions, Sept. 17, 18, 19. The Canadian Pacific Railway will sell return tickets from Toronto and all stations in Ontario, to Detroit, Saginaw, Bay City, Grand Rapids, Cleveland, Chicago, St. Paul and Minneapolis at special reduced rates, good going Sept. 17, 18, 19, returning until Oct. 5. Train service and time unbeaten. Ticket agents will furnish rates and all information.

The lower part of his body is paralyzed, he still retains consciousness and can converse freely.

DIVIDEND NOTICES.

DOMINION COAL COMPANY, LIMITED

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

A Quarterly Dividend of one per cent. has been declared by the Dominion Coal Company, Limited, payable Oct. 1st, 1908, to shareholders of record at the closing of the books on Sept. 18th, 1908.

Transfer Books of the Common Stock will be closed from Sept. 18th at 3 p.m. until Oct. 1st at 10 a.m.

F. McPHERSON, Secretary. Montreal, 2nd September, 1908.

MORTGAGES

I can guarantee first mortgage investments in Toronto house property at 5% per cent. and 6 per cent., payable half yearly. Half value only. I have also a first mortgage application for \$200 at 5% and of \$250 at 5% on farm property, in Scarborough Township. There is no better investment in the world than improved property in Toronto. F. McPHERSON. Room 230 Confederation Life Bldg.