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AUCTION SALES Every Monday & Thursday at 11 a.m.

PRIVATE SALES of Horses, Carriages, Harness, Sleighs, etc., Every Day

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THIS IS THE PLACE AND NOW IS THE TIME to buy horses. Some of the best horsemen in Canada are shipping to us every week. Their consignments include fine selections of all classes, direct from the breeder and ready for hard work.

OUR SALES NEXT WEEK will offer excellent opportunities to buyers of all classes of horses to supply their needs. At our Monday and Thursday Sales we shall have a large number of Heavy Draught and General Purpose Horses, and twelve or fifteen carloads of BLOCKY MARES AND GELDINGS, suitable for Western buyers. Visit our Stables before purchasing. It will pay you well. At our Wednesday Sale we shall have about 100 high-class Horses, which will include a number of matched Carriage Pairs, several high-class Ponies, and a large number of Hunters, Combination and Road Horses. We have a printed Catalogue of Horses in this sale which we would be pleased to send you on request.

MONDAY NEXT

At 11 a.m. we shall sell

325 Horses

of all classes:—HEAVY DRAUGHT, GENERAL PURPOSE, EXPRESS and DELIVERY HORSES, FARM CHUNKS, DRIVERS, etc., etc.

AT THIS SALE we shall have the finest selection of Mares and Geldings ever offered for sale by Auction in this city. If you need one, two or a carload of Horses, do not miss this sale.

WE SHALL ALSO SELL ON MONDAY—A JERSEY COW (fresh), with calf by side. An extra well bred one, suitable for gentleman's family use.

(Consigned to us with Horses, with instructions to sell.)

WEDNESDAY NEXT

At 11 a.m. we shall sell

100 HIGH-CLASS Horses

which will include choice selections of CARRIAGE PAIRS, SADDLE, HUNTERS and COMBINATION HORSES, and a number of good ROAD HORSES (trotters and pacers), and several well-bred PONIES. Here are the descriptions of some of them:—

CONSIGNED by Mr. James McCarron, of this city:—

CANADIAN QUEEN, brown mare, 7 years, 16 hands, sired by a son of Montbars, dam by Five Points. She is one of the best green trotters that has been offered for sale. She has been miles in 2.30 and halves in 1.12 to a bike wagon. She is city-broken, and a great road mare.

ALSO her Bike Wagon, Runabout, Portland Cutter, Set of Harness and Robe.

EBONY, black gelding (pony), 8 years, 14 hands; sound. This is a good-looking family pony, well broken to harness and saddle. He has been ridden and driven regularly by a lady, and is thoroughly reliable.

CONSIGNED by Mr. Harry McCormick, of Chicago:—

KING and ORRIN, pair bay geldings, 6 and 7 years, 15.3 hands, weight about 2,200 lbs. This is a grand pair of geldings, with fine conformation and extremely high action. They are able to trot a mile in 2.40 or better to the pole, and have style and manners enough to win in any show ring.

JUBILEE, chestnut mare, 4 years, 16 hands, sired by Golden Jubilee (standard bred). This is a fine-looking big mare, with faultless conformation and the best of manners. She is well broken to ride and drive, and has lots of quality. Truly a fine combination mare.

WE SHALL ALSO SELL a number of highclass Horses consigned to us by MR. HUGH WILSON, of Oakville, which we have received instructions to sell for the high dollar.

ALSO consignments from such well-known horsemen as Mr. Jas. McMillan, of Harwich; Mr. Joseph Brownridge, of Brampton; Mr. Albert Kee, of Brampton, and a number of good city-broken horses.

THURSDAY NEXT

At 11 a.m. we shall sell

175 Horses

OF ALL CLASSES.

ALSO ON MONDAY AND THURSDAY we shall sell a number of serviceably sound workers and drivers consigned to us by city people who have no further use for them.

WE SELL STRICTLY ON COMMISSION

ALL HORSES sold with a guarantee are returnable by noon the day following sale if not up to warranty.

YONGE, Dupont, Avenue Road, Belt Line or Church cars pass within half a block of our Stables.

P. MAHER, Proprietor. GEORGE JACKSON, Auctioneer.

UMPIRES' CHIEF TROUBLE COACHERS AND THE BENCH

President Lynch of the National Baseball League Will Provide a Remedy.

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—When the rules committee of the National and American Leagues meet at Pittsburg on Jan. 14, President Lynch will offer an amendment to the code which, in his opinion, will do away with a large share of the umpires' troubles.

President Lynch, an expert umpire himself, recently sent a letter to each man on the National League umpire staff, asking for information as to the causes of some of the disorder on the ball field last year and in previous years.

Mr. Lynch has since received replies from the umpires, and when asked about them to-day said:

"The replies show that the umpires have practically little friction with the players actually engaged in the game, and that the present trouble is caused by the coachers and the players on the benches. The rules against kicking on the ball field are clearly drawn and can be rigidly enforced. There are ironclad rules governing the coachers, too, but in looking over the code I find that there is nothing to prevent the misconduct of players on the benches.

"An umpire has a hard time watching the players on the field, so that the unruly ones on the bench can do as they please.

"But I am going to provide a remedy for this evil. I can't say what it will be, but it has not been adopted yet. But I am going to submit it to the joint rules committee, with the idea that both leagues will adopt and enforce it."

President Lynch said to-day that the Philadelphia Club's explanation of the trouble over William J. Murray's contract had been asked for, and would be forthcoming directly; the matter would then be taken up by the league's board of directors, a decision to be arrived at by a mail vote. In the opinion of President Lynch, if the decision of the directors in this case should not be satisfactory to the Philadelphia Club and to Murray, the matter could be appealed to the National Commission.

President Fogel of the Philadelphia Club meanwhile says the commission has no jurisdiction and pitches into Ban Johnson for saying that Murray has a just claim for $16,500. Baseball men who have weighed the facts are offering odds that Murray will collect the entire amount.

Baseball Notes.

The Baltimore Eastern League team will play several major league teams, including the Giants, in the Monumental City in April, as indicated by this schedule: March 29, Philadelphia Nationals; March 30 and 31, Athletics; April 6 and 7, New York Giants; April 8, Brooklyn; April 11, Washington, and April 13, Athletics.

The Pittsburg world's champions will report at West Baden on March 8, and will go to Hot Springs on March 20, remaining at the latter place until about April 10. They will take part in only two exhibition games prior to the opening of the championship season, April 11 and 12, in Memphis. President Dreyfuss says he does not care to run the risk of injuries to some of his star players.

Chairman Herrmann of the National Baseball Commission, is in Chicago for the purpose of meeting representatives of the various semi-professional teams of that city, with a view of wiping out the last haven left open for national agreement contract jumpers. "These independent Chicago teams now are the only paying baseball organizations where disgruntled players can find refuge," said Mr. Herrmann, "and negotiations are now on to bring these leagues into the fold, thereby making so-called 'outlawry' among players impossible."

Chicago is the centre of four important baseball leagues. First, the American League set up its tent, with Ban Johnson as president. Then in came the Western League, with Tip O'Neill at the head. A few weeks ago, after a stormy session, Al Tearney was elected president of the Three-I organization. He, being a native Chicagoan, induced the club owners to look upon the Windy City as their headquarters. Then, last but not least, the American Association last week switched its offices from Milwaukee to Chicago by vote of the league. The new president is Tom Chivington.

Eddie Killian, the Detroit Tiger southpaw, has signed his contract for 1910, and Oscar Stanage of the catching staff has come to terms for next season with President Navin of the Detroit Americans.

Charles Rankin of Cleveland broke the world's indoor skating record at Cleveland Wednesday night when he skated the half mile in one minute sixteen and three-fourths seconds.

John Little Wood, one of the jockeys who contributed to the racing successes of the late Marcus Daly, is dead in Montana of pneumonia. He had ridden on all of the important courses of the continent.

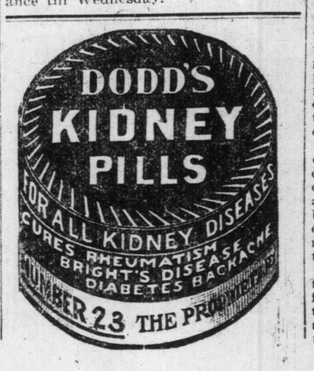
Connie Mack, manager of the Philadelphia American League Baseball Club, has disposed of ten players, only one of whom, however, has been seen in a Philadelphia uniform. This is Pitcher Vickers, whose release has been sold to the Baltimore Club of the Eastern League. Two players were added to Manager Mack's staff. They are Pitcher Kummer of Washington, Penna., and Pitcher Hankee of Slatington, Penna.

Railway Mail Clerks Ask Increase.

OTTAWA, Jan. 14.—H. B. McGiverin, M.P., introduced, and many members accompanied a deputation of railway mail clerks, which waited upon Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux to-day. They asked that the maximum be increased from $1200 to $1500, and that a flat increase of $150 be granted all around.

The Insurance Bill.

OTTAWA, Jan. 14.—The senate committee to-day passed clause 1 of the Insurance Bill. It deals with interpretation of terms only. There was a long discussion as to whether the bill should be divided into fire and life sections, Senator G. W. Ross strongly advocating it. The matter was left in abeyance till Wednesday.



TO-DAY

SEES THE FINISH OF

GOUGH'S BIG SALE

Don't stay away from the biggest bargain feast of the age. Positively the store closes to-night for good.

MONDAY

at 11 o'clock a.m., we will sell on the premises by Public Auction the following Fixtures. Parties wanting good Store Furniture and Fixtures should not miss it:

Clothing Tables,
Shoe Tables,
Furnishing Tables,
Silent Salesmen,
Papier Mache Forms,
(with or without wax heads)
Outside Show Cases,
Window Shoe Fixtures,
Window Furnishing Fixtures,
Window Hat Fixtures,
Window Clothing Fixtures,
Furnishing Projecting,
Over Counter Fixtures,
Display Card Holders,
British Plate Glass Mirrors,
Shoe Cabinets and Show Cases Combined,
One Hat Cabinet (costs $350),
Gas Fixtures and Gas Piping,
Sewing Machines,
Letter-Presses,
Shelving,
Rolling Shelf Ladders,
Fire Bucket Tanks,
Travellers' Trunks,
Settees,
Safe, Offices,
Button Machine,
Floor Oilcloth,
Cash Drawers,
Coat Hangers,
Shoe Lasts,
Rotary Peg Float,
Initial Hat Stands,
Chairs and Numerous
Other Articles

Remember Sale by Auction Commences Sharp at Eleven o'Clock on Monday Morning.

GOUGH BROS., 6 and 8 Queen St. West

TAFT'S SPECIAL MESSAGE ON NATURAL RESOURCES

Recommends Issue of $30,000,000 of Bonds to Carry Out an Irrigation Policy.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—President Taft's special conservation message was delivered to the house and referred to the committee on public lands. The message in part says:

"The present statutes, except so far as they dispose of the precious metals and the purely agricultural lands, are not adapted to carry out the modern view of the best disposition of public lands to private ownership.

"It seems to me that it is the duty of congress now, by a statute, to validate the withdrawals which have been made by the secretary of the interior and the president, and to authorize the secretary of the interior temporarily to withdraw lands pending submission to congress of recommendations as to legislation to meet conditions or emergencies as they arise.

"It is now proposed to dispose of agricultural lands as such, and at the same time to reserve for other disposition the treasure of coal, oil, asphaltum, natural gas, and phosphate contained therein. This may be best accomplished by separating the right to mine from the title to the surface, giving the necessary use of so much of the latter as may be required for the extraction of the deposits. The surface might be disposed of as agricultural land under the general agricultural statutes, while the coal or other mineral could be disposed of by lease on a royalty basis, with provisions requiring a certain amount of development each year.

"It seems to me sufficient to say that the man who owns and controls the land along the stream from which the power is to be converted and transmitted, owns land which is indispensable to the conversion and use of that power.

"The development in electrical appliances for the conversion of the water power into electricity to be transmitted long distances has progressed so far that it is no longer problematical, but it is a certain inference that in the future the power of the water falling in the streams to a large extent will take the place of natural fuels.

"But there are millions of acres of completely arid land in the public domain which, by the establishment of reservoirs for the storing of water and the irrigation of the lands, may be made much more fruitful and productive than the best lands in a climate where the moisture comes from the clouds.

"I recommend, therefore, that authority be given to issue not exceeding $30,000,000 of bonds from time to time, as the secretary of the interior shall find it necessary, the proceeds to be applied to the completion of the projects already begun and their proper extension.

"Upwards of 400,000,000 acres of forest lands in this country are in private ownership, but only 3 per cent. of it is being treated scientifically and with a view to maintenance of the forests.

"It seems to me that in the development of our inland waterways it would be wise to begin with his particular project (Mississippi River project) and carry it thru as rapidly as may be. I assume from reliable information that it can be constructed economically in 12 years."

Had to Send Toronto Man.

Owing to the peculiar nature of the conditions and the impossibility of getting a local man to take the office, Alex. R. Elliott of Toronto has been sent to Port Arthur by the Ontario License Department as inspector. Mr. Elliott, who left last night, accompanied by Provincial Inspector George Morrison, will investigate the serious charges of doping liquor which have been made against the Port Arthur hotels. He is an ex-member of the Royal Irish Constabulary.

People's Popular Service.

The popular city band of twenty-five men, led by J. Andrew Higgins, which delighted a great audience last Sunday night by their artistic playing at the People's Sunday Service, will play at the service in Massey Hall to-morrow night.

SUFFERED FOR SIX LONG YEARS

Then Dodd's Kidney Pills Cured Mrs. Richard's Diabetes.

Her Rheumatism Also Vanished When Dodd's Kidney Pills Put Her Kidneys in Condition to Do Their Work.

EAST CHEZZETCOOK, Halifax Co., N.S. — Jan. 14.—(Special.)—Cured of diabetes and rheumatism from which she had suffered for six years, Mrs. Boniface Richard, well known here, is joyfully telling her neighbors that she owes her health to Dodd's Kidney Pills and to no other cause.

"My rheumatism and diabetes were brought on by a cold and a strain, and tho I was attended by a doctor he could not help me. After suffering for six years, I made up my mind to try Dodd's Kidney Pills and to my surprise they did me good almost at once. Two boxes cured me completely. I recommend them to everybody as a sure cure for diabetes, backache and all other kidney diseases."

Dodd's Kidney Pills cured Mrs. Richard's diabetes because diabetes is a kidney disease, and Dodd's Kidney Pills cure all kidney diseases. Mrs. Richard's rheumatism was caused by her diseased kidneys failing to take the uric acid out of her blood. When her kidneys were cured they strained the uric acid out of her blood and her rheumatism vanished.

Lost in Storm and Nearly Drowned.

BROCKVILLE, Jan. 14.—Mr. and Mrs. John Jordan of Chaffey's Locks, narrowly escaped being drowned in Newboro Lake while driving home from Newboro in a blinding snowstorm. They became lost, and in the neighborhood of Doctor's Cut, the horse and cutter went thru the ice.

Three Hundred Miners' Lucky Escape.

TRINIDAD, Colo., Jan. 14.—An explosion followed by fire occurred today in the Berwind Mine, 18 miles from here. It is said 500 men were in the mine, but the fire was quickly extinguished with no fatalities.

MR. BAKER SERIOUSLY ILL.

LONDON, Jan. 14.—(C.A.P.)—Archer Baker of the C.P.R. is seriously ill with pneumonia, and to-day is reported as very weak.

He was only recently married.

Canadian Institute.

The Canadian Institute will hold its usual meeting this evening in the Physics building, Queen's Park. Saul Duchman, department of electro-chemistry, will read a paper entitled, "Some Studies in Electrolysis," with experiments and lantern slides.

Great Half-Price Sale Suits and Overcoats

The greatest of its kind ever held in Toronto is now on. Store open every evening. Come and get your share.

All $7.50 Suits go at	$3.75
All $10.00 Suits go at	$5.00
All $12.00 Suits go at	$6.00
All $15.00 Suits go at	$7.50
All $20.00 Suits go at	$10.00
All $10.00 Overcoats go at	$5.00
All $12.00 Overcoats go at	$6.00
All $15.00 Overcoats go at	$7.50
All $20.00 Overcoats go at	$10.00
All $25.00 Overcoats go at	$12.50

EXTRA SPECIAL

All $5.00 Trousers	$2.50
All $4.00 Trousers	$2.00
All $3.00 Trousers	$1.50
All $2.50 Trousers	$1.25

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