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In Addition to the above list we have several Gerhard Heintzman pianos that are practically new that we are offering at the same reduction in Price.

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Pianos under \$250—\$10 cash and \$6 per month.
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CARLISLE WEDDING.

HAPPY EVENT AT HOME OF MR. AND MRS. CAIRNS, CARLISLE.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. William Cairns, of Carlisle, was the scene of a very pretty wedding, on Wednesday, the 4th instant, where their eldest daughter, Edith L., became the wife of Mr. Herbert J. Bennett, son of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Bennett, all of Carlisle.

The ceremony was performed under the arch of flowers and evergreens, by the Rev. G. Francis Morris, of Carlisle, in the presence of about one hundred guests from Hamilton, Milton, Zimmerman, Watford and Mount Pleasant. Among them being the aged grandparents of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton, of Watford. Mr. Lorne H. Carey played the wedding march. The bride was given away by her father and looked sweet and dainty in a pretty gown of white point d'esprit, over taffeta, trimmed with insertion, and white satin baby ribbon, the veil being caught with white roses. She carried a shower bouquet of white roses and carnations, with streamers of white satin ribbon. The bridesmaids were Miss Alberta Hamilton, of Hamilton, who wore a white silk dress trimmed with white satin baby ribbon, and Miss Muriel L. Bennett, of Zimmerman, dressed in white luster, trimmed with all-over lace and insertion. The groom was supported by Mr. Geo. A. Featherston, of Hamilton, and Mr. Fred M. Cairns, brother of the bride. The groom's gift to the bride and bridesmaids were gold brooches, set with brilliant, and to the groomsmen initial cuff links.

The bride was the recipient of many beautiful and costly presents, among them being a silver tea service from Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stroud, of Hamilton. The bride's traveling costume was blue silk with blue velvet hat to match. After a very beautiful and elaborate dinner, the usual toast list was proposed and responded to in a manner, that with music and readings, made a very pleasant event that will not soon be forgotten by those who were privileged to be present.

The bride and groom are widely known and enjoy the confidence and esteem of

all. They are both members of the Methodist church choir, and have always been active church workers. Amidst hearty congratulations and best wishes for a bright and successful future, the happy couple left for Hamilton and Toronto, and other eastern points.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES.

The large number of young women present at the rally day at home, held last Monday, showed that an increasing interest is being awakened in the work of the association. The gathering was an informal one, its main object being to supply information regarding the Y. W. C. A. work. Short talks were given by Mrs. J. Orr Callahan, Miss Truett, the physical director, the general secretary and Mr. T. F. Best, of the Y. M. C. A. Time was then given for social intercourse, after which refreshments were served.

The gymnasium work began this week with a good attendance. Miss Truett is winning the hearts of the young women who are looking forward enthusiastically to a pleasant year's work under her instruction. The classes in fancy work and plain sewing will begin next week. At the meeting of the Board of Directors on Tuesday, arrangements were made to hold a concert in the near future, in the interests of the financial side of the work. Further plans for the November Bazaar were also discussed. Owing to the inability of three of the directors to do active work during the winter, Mrs. D. E. Pratt, Miss Smith, and Miss Olive Copp, were elected to fill the vacancies.

WORKINGMEN.

We have what you want in quality and price. Overalls, union label, 75c; working shirts 40c up; pants 95c; strong working boots, \$1; Oulskin coats, stickers, pants, hats, rubber boots. Leather coats, corduroy lined, reversible, the most suitable coat for fall. M. Kennedy, 240 James north.

Wigg—They tell me Stillson is operating in the stock market. He's pretty green, isn't he? Wagg—He used to be, but now I understand he has been done up brown.

It isn't safe to judge a man's experience by the advice he gives.

MUSIC AND

DRAMA.

Deserted at the Altar, which was the attraction at the Grand last night, proved to be one of the best melodramas seen here in some time. It has never been presented in Hamilton before, and patrons knew nothing of the author, Pierre Kingsley. The piece was well received and deservedly so, for it contains a story of exceptional interest, well told. The characters are diversified, and are introduced in a natural way. The company is quite clever, and makes the most of what is entrusted to it. The scenic and mechanical effects are above the average. The attraction should play to big business to-day.

Miss Margaret B. McCoy, soprano, and Mr. Frank E. Blackford, violinist, assisted by Mrs. F. MacKellan, contralto, and M. W. H. Hewlett, accompanist, will give a recital in the Conservatory Music Hall on the evening of Thursday, Oct. 19.

MARSHALL WILL CASE.

J. A. R. ANDERSON, OF THIS CITY, ONE OF THE PLAINTIFFS.

At Guelph Assizes yesterday the will case of Anderson v. Scott was disposed of. J. A. R. Anderson, of this city, was one of the plaintiffs, who sought to set aside the will of the late William K. Marshall, of Clifford, drawn in November, 1902, and to establish a former will. The grounds upon which the plaintiffs sought to set aside the will was that the testator at the time he made his last will was of unsound mind, and that the will had been procured from him by undue influence. His estate amounted to between \$40,000 and \$45,000. After making provision for his wife for certain of his relatives and a bequest to the Guelph General Hospital for \$1,000, he left all the residue of his estate to the Presbyterian Church in Canada for missionary purposes. The residue will amount to between \$30,000 and \$35,000. Some of his near relatives received very small amounts, the plaintiff, John A. R. Anderson, of Hamilton, being a half brother, and receiving only \$500, and Mrs. Egleham, of Clifford, being a full sister, and receiving only \$300. Chancellor Boyd suggested that it was a proper case for a settlement, and upon counsel for various parties holding a conference a settlement was arrived at whereby Mrs. Egleham is to receive \$5,000 out of the residue of the estate; and in consideration of this sum she is to procure a surrender of a lease now held by one of her sons on a farm belonging to the estate.

PERFECTION MASONS.

HAMILTON SCOTTISH RITERS VISIT THE TORONTO LODGE.

A party of fully 50 Scottish Rite Masons, members of Merton Lodge of Perfection, of this city, visited Toronto last night and put on work for the Toronto Lodge of Perfection. The party was in charge of Mr. Geo. Moore 33, P. G. M., and included W. H. Ballard 33, Thomas Lees 33, F. J. Howell 33, A. T. Freed 33, and many other prominent Rites. They were warmly welcomed by the Toronto officers and members, amongst whom were Benjamin Allen 33, E. T. Malone 33, James Glenville 32, and E. T. Eakins 33, James Bicknell 32, and others well known to the Hamilton brethren.

The Hamilton contingent put on the work of the fifth degree, with Thomas Lees 33 in charge, assisted by Geo. C. Carley 32, A. S. Levy 32, A. T. Neil 32, Kenneth Bethune 32, Wm. Fearnham 18, G. R. Lloyd 18, and members of the Scottish Rite choir. W. C. Eddis, T. P. G. M., of the Toronto lodge, presided over the ceremonies in the lodge room.

An enjoyable banquet was subsequently held, at which a full toast list was presented.

The Hamilton party got back at 2.30. They traveled by special both ways.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

Mr. W. J. Robinson will be glad to meet the old members of his Sunday morning class to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock, and at 4.15 the boys' meeting will be held, when Mr. William Shaw will give an address and Miss Walton will sing. Every boy over 12 years of age will be welcome.

The General Secretary's Bible class at 3 p. m. is open to all young men, and the men's meeting at 4.15 is a good place for any man to spend an hour. Subject for to-morrow, Stewardship. Open discussion, after a short address by the General Secretary.

The song service at 8.30 in Association Hall is increasing in interest, and the programme to-morrow will comprise bright choruses, solos and duets, by prominent singers. All are cordially invited.

The Rangers' basketball team is rounding into shape for another season's work. The old members are all requested to be present for practice on Monday evening at 7 o'clock.

The Ladies' Auxiliary has undertaken some important improvements on Association Hall platform and in the games room downstairs. The ladies have been so far encouraged with the success of their free-will offering scheme, it netting them larger receipts than were secured by entertainments. Freewill offering envelopes are occasionally dropping in, and the ladies are well pleased to use these pills, and after having taken twelve boxes was again in perfect health and vigor. I can now sleep undisturbed, the pains in the kidneys and back are gone, and I am feeling well and strong. I consider Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills a great boon to suffering humanity, and had I known about them when I was a young man could have escaped suffering all the best years of my life.

BECITAL BY GOLD MEDALISTS.

A recital will be given next Tuesday evening in the recital hall of the Conservatory of Music by two young ladies, Miss Jennie M. Kennedy and Miss Alpha C. Smith, both pupils of Dr. Harris. Miss Kennedy and Miss Smith passed the scientific examination of the University of Toronto last June, and are the winners of the gold medals given by the Conservatory of Music. These medals will be presented at the close of the recital next Tuesday evening.

Water pipes will soon be indulging in their annual game of freeze out.

SCOTLAND FOR EVER.

INTERNATIONAL LODGE, I. O. G. T., CELEBRATES SCOTCH NIGHT.

Tartan and heather were very much in evidence at the meeting of International Lodge held last evening. Miss Edith Fraser, a charming and popular young lady, was responsible for the following programme: Piano solo, Bonnie Bessie Lee, Mrs. W. Linklater; song, Janet Gray, Miss Mary Morrison; reading, Jean Small and the Telephone, Miss Edith Fraser; song, Wae Me for Prince Charlie, T. S. Hill; piano solo, Bonnie Brier Bush, Miss Nellie Morrison; song, Comin' Through the Rye, Miss Edith Fraser; W. W. Turnbull read a talk on Scottish Life and Character, bringing out the humorous and pathetic side of the Scotch in very clever style.

Next Friday International will hold the first of a series of entertainments, at which the farce of Who's Who? will be presented.

A DOMESTIC TRAGEDY

FATALLY SHOT HIS WIFE AND WAS SHOT IN THE HAND.

New York, Oct. 7.—Denton H. Hopkins, a dye cutter in Brooklyn, shot and instantly killed his wife in a duel with her in the hallway of her flat in Johnson street, Brooklyn, to-day. Although married 30 years, the two were living apart, having quarrelled over money matters.

To-day Hopkins called at his wife's flat, knocked for admission, and when she opened the door they began to fire at each other with revolvers. Hopkins did not protest against the duel, was unable to say who shot first. Hopkins was wounded in the hand by a bullet from his wife's weapon and finally shot her in the eye. She died instantly.

Hopkins was arrested and charged with murder.

THAT INDEMNITY.

HON. MR. FOSTER DEFENDS THE INCREASE AS JUSTIFIED.

At a party meeting in North Toronto last night, Hon. Geo. E. Foster defended the increased indemnity and held that all in the House were equally responsible for it. He is thus reported:

Every man who sat in Parliament and allowed the bill to go through without objection must take his share of the responsibility for the vote and the consequences that came from it. Whether the man in question signed the round robin, or did not, he was responsible if he did not protest against the bill. The only way by which the indemnity could be increased was by a vote of the members.

Mr. Foster justified placing the indemnity at \$2,500 and contended that a less amount would not indemnify members for their losses. At the same time, he insisted that the cost of elections should not be taken into account in fixing the amount. If there were five in Parliament who did not earn \$2,500 elsewhere, it was the fault of the electors who sent them, and it was the duty of the constituencies to grade up their representatives. The assertion that the people wanted the indemnity fixed at a figure that under no circumstances would Parliament be closed to the poor man was greeted with applause.

Bread may be the staff of life, but the average man is out for the dough.

Painful, Fatal Kidney Disease

CALLS FOR IMMEDIATE AND ACTIVE TREATMENT WITH

DR. CHASE'S KIDNEY-LIVER PILLS

Kidney disease—marked by backache, pains in the limbs, scanty, dark colored urine, puffiness about the eyes, dropsical swelling and gradual loss of flesh—is always the forerunner of death on account of the suffering it entails and because of its fatality.

The kidneys and liver share alike the responsibility of filtering poisons from the blood, and it is therefore necessary to regulate both these organs in order to effect a cure of kidney disease.

This fact accounts for the extraordinary success of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, which is the only treatment obtainable having a direct and combined action on the liver and kidneys.

For years evidence has been piling up which goes to prove that Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills have positively cured obstinate and complicated cases of kidney disease which defied physicians and ordinary kidney medicines.

Nor is it to be wondered at when it is remembered that Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are the result of his long and varied experience of the great American physician and author—Dr. A. W. Chase.

Mr. John Gearin, an old resident of Toronto, Ont., states: "For twenty years I was badly afflicted with kidney troubles, indigestion and bladder derangements. During that time I was a great sufferer and had to get up six to twelve times nightly to pass water. I tried different doctors and used all sorts of medicines to no avail."

"Finally, I began using Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills and soon found relief. Thus encouraged, I continued to use these pills, and after having taken twelve boxes was again in perfect health and vigor. I can now sleep undisturbed, the pains in the kidneys and back are gone, and I am feeling well and strong. I consider Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills a great boon to suffering humanity, and had I known about them when I was a young man could have escaped suffering all the best years of my life."

Kidney disease is not to be neglected. It is far too serious to be allowed to develop. You can profit by the experience of thousands of your fellow citizens and obtain prompt relief as well as a thorough and lasting cure, by the use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. One pill a dose, 25 cents a box, at all dealers, or Edmanston, Bates & Co., Toronto.

THE RIGHT HOUSE

Hamilton,
October 7th, 1905

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Out of the Ordinary Values in New Furnishings for the Home

Brussels Carpets \$1.05 Yard

A most satisfactory Carpet at the price. A goodly range of choice designs to select from in styles suitable for dining rooms, halls, libraries and bedrooms. This is a much superior make to what is usually sold at the above price.

Axminsters and Wilton Carpets \$1.50 Yard

A grand range of new patterns and rich colorings were showing at \$1.50 yard. Beyond a doubt the best value at the price we're ever shown.

Akbar Squares

These are made in Scotland, very firm in weave and much superior and durable than the Kensington Carpets, and in designs not obtainable in other fabrics. A nice range of patterns suitable for dining rooms and bedrooms. Some of the sizes and prices:

3 by 3 1/2 yards, \$11.50. 3 by 4 yards, \$13.25.

3 1/2 by 4 yards, \$15.50. 3 1/2 by 4 1/2 yards, \$17.50.

Brussels Squares

These are very handsome and particularly desirable for dining rooms, libraries and bedrooms. Seamed, but without cross seams or mitres. Art nouveau, Turkish effects and small designs in dainty, also very rich, colorings.

3 by 3 1/2 yards, \$18.00. 3 by 4 yards, \$21.00.

Omdurman Wilton Rugs

These elegant Rugs are woven in broadths without cross seams or mitre joints. Styles suitable for dining rooms, drawing rooms, libraries and bedrooms, in oriental and medallion designs, others with damask pattern centres, with illuminated floral borders.

3 by 3 1/2 yards, \$25.00. 3 by 4 yards, \$30.00.

3 1/2 by 4 yards, \$35.00. 3 1/2 by 4 1/2 yards, \$40.00.

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CURING TREES OF DISEASE.

Medicine Administered With Good Results by a Russian Scientist.

While the science of animal medicine is obviously antiquated, it is certainly much more advanced than the science of vegetative medicine. Animals are treated locally and internally with curative medicines, while aside from fumigation and spraying of diseased plants, the first gleam of light is just breaking in treating diseased plants and trees with medicaments, some nutritive, and others curative. A Russian investigator has just reported the results of some 500 experiments of this character, which he conducted by introducing into the trunks nutritive salts, both in the dry state and in solution.

Experiments were made with oaks, poplars and sycamores, which suffered from frost, diseases, white acacia, pear, and apple trees. In all cases the results were more or less favorable. Chlorosis, or bleaching of leaves, was treated successfully with iron sulphate, as well as destructive fungus diseases of the grape vine known as anthracnose. Fungus disease of the apple and oak were also successfully combated by administering medicine internally, as it were, allowing the plants to distribute the medicine to the diseased cells in this way.

The extensive changes of the tissue of old trees into gum, as familiarly encountered on cherry trees, a process known as gummosis, was effectively treated by solutions of acetic, oxalic and tartaric acids. Of greater significance, however, was the attempt to combat the numerous boring insects that infest orchards and forest trees by poisoning them with the production of poisonous solutions into the sap. For this purpose arsenic, copper sulphate, manganese and barium were used, and the results were quite satisfactory in destroying the borer, apple moth, and one species of plant louse. With an extension of the knowledge of plant pathology and physiology, the new method of healing, nourishing and stimulating trees may be looked for to assume proportions undreamed of at present.—Boston Transcript.

HAS CUNNING COLLIE DOGS.

Conductor Has Them Kept by Farmers Along the Line.

Conductor Geraghty, meeting some Warwick friends on the train the other day, was led by them to talk about his famous prize-winning collie dogs, a number of which can be seen from the train windows as it makes its run. His dogs are most of them boarded out, singly or in pairs, among the farmers and railway men living in the country along the line; but few being kept at his home in Newburgh. There are many advantages in this method of keeping dogs and in it may be seen one of Mr. Geraghty's lendings to success.

The collie is a very knowing dog and has a great memory. One of Frank's dogs when being brought into a car was lagging back when it was time for the train to move, and he gave it a jerk and hustled it up the steps in a way it has never forgotten. It now meets his train with a resentful bark and will not keep quiet so long as it stands and does not seek its master's caress.

Another dog is quartered at a house where the trainman serves a paper every day, and the dog meets the train and always carries the mail bag to the home. On week days the package is brought out at 5.15 p. m. from Newburgh and tossed up a bank to a stone wall. The dog is always near and the bundle no more than falls before the collie will rush and jump to it, pick it up and hasten through the lot to the house. On Sundays a paper is carried out on the morning run and that is the only train the dog will meet. It seems to know the day of the week and never misses.

One day recently the man was sitting in his yard as the train's time approached, and he heard one coming. Noticing that the dog did not move, he called its name and said "baper," but the dog only raised his head and looked around, lying down again. He spoke again, but the dog only opened its eyes, not lifting its head. Then the man saw it was a freight train and it was seven minutes ahead of Geraghty's train. As

the rumble of the right train was heard, a little late that day, the dog arose without prompting and trotted away for its package.

Another peculiarity of these dogs is that they will not be boarded out at every place. They have likes and dislikes, and positively refuse to stay at some homes. When they take a dislike to a place they will go to the nearest station and stay around near the track until Conductor Geraghty's train comes along, and as soon as it stops will hurry up the steps of the smoker and run through the baggage apartment, give a dog's smile and a wag of the tail to Matt Malloy, the baggage master, and get down in a corner. When they have thus struck against a place there is no use to try to keep them at it, they must go to another home.—Warwick Advertiser.



NO LAW FOR IT.

Hans—How long was it I stay mit dis country before I can be naturalized?
Inspector—That-er depends on what ticket you vote.

THE LONELINESS OF THE CITY.

There are perhaps a hundred people in our apartment house, a thousand, or it may be two or three thousand, in our block. They live in small, comfortably furnished and very convenient apartments, but they live alone. No one ever sees any exchange of courtesies between them. They are not interested in the progress of the lives of the people about them. You might live there a year, or ten years, and I doubt if your next-door neighbor would even as much as know of your existence. He is too busy. Your business might fail, your children perish. You might suffer every calamity from heart-ache to literal physical destruction, and I doubt whether he would ever hear of it. Marriage, birth, death, and all of the other homely and really essential happenings of life are all trivial under the new dispensation. Neither you nor your wife nor children nor your children's children have any interest for him. It is all as if you really did not exist.

The pathos of all this is that these people never quite realize, until some of the real calamities of life overtake them, what they have been ignoring and casting aside. Until they are old, until they are stricken with illness, until they stand bereft of fortune, or until they are visited by death—then, and then only, do they become aware of the importance of the individual relationship. It matters not in such an hour what the prime importance of the world may be. It will not avail them to know that the world still goes on, and that the principal thoroughfares of the great cities are alive with a spectacle forever fascinating and forever new. Life in the abstract cannot aid them then. They are alone, left longing for a personal relationship, with an achingly and, too often, a breaking heart. Friendship, affection, tenderness, how they loom large in the hour of despair!—Theodore Dreiser in Tom Watson's Magazine.

Away With the Frown.

When things seem upside down for you, And failures take the lead; When fate upsets whatever you do, And you cast mood down; Don't hang your head, and look forlorn, And wear the sackcloth gown. For greater burdens have been borne, So smile away that frown.

Why be cast down if not endowed With what the world calls wealth? For you have much if you're allowed That bounteous blessing, health. The wealth and palaces of earth No'er placed a lasting crown; Big sadness go, but welcome mirth, And smile away that frown.

NEARLY EIGHT MILLIONS.

Surplus a Little Short of Mr. Fielding's Estimate.

Ottawa, Oct. 6.—The Canadian surplus on ordinary account for the last fiscal year was \$7,871,330. This is shown by the financial statement for 1904-5, which was issued to-day. It is a little below the estimate made by Hon. Mr. Fielding in his budget speech, when he predicted a surplus of about nine millions. The revenue last year was \$71,180,625, which is half a million greater than the amount collected the year before. Hon. Mr. Fielding estimated the probable revenue at \$71,250,000. The expenditure during the year was \$63,308,300, against an estimate in the budget speech of \$72,360,000, and an expenditure in the previous year of \$55,612,832. The expenditure on capital account amounted to \$15,441,400, which is \$4,282,200 more than in the previous year. Mr. Fielding's estimate was for a capital expenditure of \$12,500,000. The debt is increased \$3,349,112, against an estimate of \$1,250,000. The Customs revenue showed an increase of \$731,057. Postoffice an increase of \$42,047. Public Works an increase of \$4,267,077. Excise collected \$2,354,