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FRIDAY BARGAINS

Pins Black Headed Toilet Pins on sale, special at per pair, 3c	COMING near holiday time, our special offerings are particularly adapted to the season. To buy economically it will pay you to watch our advertisements closely for the next three weeks.	Napkins Half Bleached Fringed Linen Napkins, 12 in. square, on sale special at each, 3		
Silk Skirts Ladies' Silk Underskirts in shades of pink, sky and old rose, prettily made with frills and tucks, worth regular up to \$8.00 each, on sale for \$2.75	Children's Dresses Children's Dresses, made of all wool Cashmere in pretty shades of cream, pink, sky and cardinal, fancy skirted, tucked and trimmed, regular price \$1.75 and \$2.00, on sale for \$1.00	Net Curtains Fringed net curtains, 3 yards long, made of excellent quality lace and in assortment. Regular price, \$2.00 a pair, on sale for \$1.65		
Towels White Turkish towels, size 32x15 ins., fringed and bordered, on sale, very special 3 for 25c	Doylies Teneriff Doylies, round and square, 7 and 8 wheels, white, on sale each 5c	Toweling Brown Turkish Toweling, red stripes, 15 in. wide, reg. 14c a yard, on sale for 11c	Tabling Bleached table linen, 62 in. wide in very pretty floral design, 50c quality, on sale for 39c	
Handkerchiefs Ladies' fine pure linen handkerchiefs narrow hems, regular value 10c each, on sale for 4 for 25c Ladies' fine white Swiss embroidered hdkfs. in very dainty designs, reg. value up to 20c each, on sale for 10c	Kid Gloves Ladies' kid gloves in assorted shades including creams, greys, purples, greens, etc. 4 button and 2 clasp, sizes 6 to 7 1/2, regular price \$1.00 and \$1.25 a pair, on sale special at 50c	Curtain Muslin Fine white Curtain Muslins, suitable for sash curtains and bedroom curtains, 32 inches wide, neat designs, regular price 18c and 20 c a yard, on sale for 15c	Dress Goods 10 pieces of tweed dress goods, in a splendid variety of good dark shades, 54 in. wide, regular price \$1.00 and \$1.25 a yard—on sale for 75c	Remnants Remnants of prints and shaker flannels in light and dark colors, plain and fancy, measured up special for Friday and Saturday. Greatly Reduced

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A lot of new arrivals for our Big Holiday trade will be shown after Dec 1st in our new rooms upstairs.

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Weather Strips!
E. W. HARTLEY, Harvey St., has secured the Local Agency for the celebrated CHAMBERLAIN METAL STRIPS, and will give estimates for fitting in residences or public buildings. Call at residence or drop a card in the P.O.

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Minard's Liniment used by Physicians.

MUTINEERS SURRENDER

After the "Red" Flagship Was Riddled and Fired.

Desperate Engagement at Sebastopol Yesterday. The scene of a desperate battle between the mutinous sailors and the troops in the forts on shore. During the battle the town and forts were bombarded by the guns of the cruiser Otchakov, which now lies a burning wreck of Admiral Point, its hull riddled with shells and its masts and rigging in flames. The mutineers were killed or wounded.

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Revolutionists Begin It. According to the most detailed report received and purporting to come from the Admiralty, the battle began at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, when Lieut. Schmidt, not receiving a reply to the demands of the mutineers, opened fire on a fleet of 10 ships, to which the northern batteries of Fort Alcazar and artillery posted on the shore and several vessels which remained loyal replied.

During the naval battle the sailors on the shore, entrenched in the barracks, defended their position with machine guns and rifles against the attacking infantry. After an engagement lasting two and a half hours, with the Otchakov riddled and on fire, and the cruiser Dnieper and another vessel sunk, Lieut. Schmidt, who had been badly wounded, surrendered the 11th squadron. The mutinous sailors on shore surrendered to the British and Bieloostok regiments.

According to this report the Panteleimon, formerly the Krius, took refuge, was injured below the water line, and a torpedo boat is ashore on the rocks.

Town Will Have Suffered. No details of the casualties or the damage sustained by the town are obtainable by the Admiralty, but owing to the concentration of the battle was fought it is probable that the town escaped without heavy damage. The demands of the mutineers are said to have included besides the 15 proposals dealing with the sailors' rights, the convening of a constituent assembly and the complete realization of liberties promised by the imperial manifesto.

BATTLE IN ST. PETERSBURG.

Government Attacks Soldiers Wearing Its Uniform With Some Success.

Agitation early yesterday morning began its deadly struggle with revolution by burning such regiments as remained loyal to it against the army patriots entrenched in buildings connected with one of its favorite institutions. The attack developed into a battle that showed not only the preparedness of the insurgents, but their determination to withstand tyranny at all points and to shoot down their own comrades if those comrades remained the lackeys of the bureaucrats. Six regiments of Cossacks and other guards were employed in the assault on the mutinous soldiers.

The mutineers held several buildings belonging to the Military School of Electricity and were well provided with ammunition and supplies. They made a stubborn resistance, and had not a detachment of them commanded by a revolutionary officer lacking experience adequate to such daring work made an ill-advised sortie. It is believed they would have maintained their entire position until reinforced by revolutionists from other points. As it was, the survivors of the detachment making the sortie, as well as several scores of mutineers driven from cover by the concentrated fire of five buildings, were captured. Six regiments of Cossacks and other guards were employed in the assault on the mutinous soldiers.

The mutineers must have expected such an intention on the part of the superior, for hardly had the first battalion of Cossacks debouched on the school grounds when it was challenged by several sentries. A satisfactory answer not being forthcoming, the soldiers of the school fully dressed and bearing arms, poured out of the building and formed on the defensive.

Bombarded For 20 Minutes. The Cossack batteries rained their guns on the buildings and the bombardment lasted twenty minutes, without apparent result, though there could be little doubt that the artillery was making the defenses of the school troops with fearful effect. At that time the mutineers maintained their fire, the attacking regiments, though protected in part by the wall, suffered severely.

It is believed that, when news of the fight spreads to other parts of the army, the general military revolt long

PULSE OF RUSSIA STILLED.

Telegraphers on Strike—Crisis Precipitated by Government's Action.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 30.—The situation has again suddenly grown exceedingly grave. The Russian capital is shut off from telegraphic communication with the interior. The Russian strike of the telegraph operators declared Tuesday has gone into operation, in protest against the alleged unwarranted arrest of the members of the Peasants' Congress at Moscow and also calling on the people to compel the employers of St. Petersburg, who locked out 70,000 men to open their doors.

The telegraph strike draws an impenetrable curtain between the capital and the provinces, which in such a crisis renders the position of the Government almost desperate, as being in constant and instant touch with the military and local authorities in the interior is imperative. If the telegraph strike can be maintained the Government will be compelled to grope blindly in the dark. The employees of the office have not yet struck, but are expected to walk out to-day. Only two lines are working out of St. Petersburg. Telephonic messages from Moscow, which are momentarily expected to stop, say that the operators on the Siberian lines and on all the lines south, north and east of Moscow have struck. Communication with Sebastopol and Odessa has ceased. The operators on the lines throughout the Baltic provinces have also struck.

Circular Started It. The telegraphers' strike is the direct outgrowth of the Government's circular prohibiting telegraph operators from joining a union, which prohibition is attributed to M. Durnovo, Minister of the Interior, for whose removal from office the radicals are vigorously working.

The Minister recently summarily discharged the leaders of the Moscow union and yesterday their colleagues sent a twelve-hour ultimatum to M. Durnovo and Premier Witte, demanding the reinstatement of the dismissed men and the withdrawal of the obnoxious circular. No answer being forthcoming, the telegraphers of Moscow after leaving their keys held a meeting in an adjoining building and upon the appearance of the police and troops sent to break up the meeting they declared firmly that they would not disperse even if the authorities used force.

No Wires Working.

Berlin, Nov. 30.—The Imperial post-office announces that all telegraph communication with Russia has been interrupted since noon yesterday.

Vienna Cut Off. Vienna, Nov. 30.—Vienna is cut off from communication with Russia, except by way of Cracow, Galicia, and thence by mail.

Father Gapon in Hiding. St. Petersburg, Nov. 30.—Father Gapon is here in hiding. In an interview yesterday he expressed the opinion that the revolutionary leaders were making a tactical mistake which he made before Jan. 22 of preaching an armed rebellion, a democratic republic and an immediate eight-hour day. He added that his residence abroad had opened his eyes. Time was necessary to realize the socialist ideals.

COREA'S EMPEROR PLACATED.

Marquis Ito Leaves Seoul, But Agitation Is Still On.

Seoul, Korea, Nov. 30.—Marquis Ito was received in a farewell audience Tuesday by the Emperor. He left yesterday on a special train for Fusan, his difficult task of placating the Emperor of Korea having been accomplished.

Japanese gendarmes or police are guarding the Imperial Palace and the residences of the Cabinet Ministers to prevent any attack upon them by objectors to the new Japanese-Corean agreement. The Emperor has been urged to repudiate the agreement and cause the assassination of the Ministers who signed it.

Martial Law Rescinded. Tokio, Nov. 30.—The rescinding of martial law and the restrictions placed upon the liberties of the press, has been passed by the Privy Council and will be promulgated within a few days. The vital items of the negotiations between China and Japan have been amicably settled.

Legations Become Embassies. Tokio, Nov. 30.—It has formally been decided to elevate the Japanese legations in London, Washington, Paris, Berlin, and St. Petersburg to the rank of embassies.

Field Marshal Oyama Leaves Port Daily to-day for Japan.

Gen. Linévitch is reported to be still at Kungshu Pass.

Minister Squiers Resigns.

Havana, Nov. 30.—The United States Minister, Herbert G. Squiers, has cabled his resignation to Washington. The Minister declined to be interviewed on the subject, but it can be asserted that the Cuban Government cabled a message of complaint to Washington against Mr. Squiers' attitude on the issue of Plines question, following his persistent opposition to the Anglo-Cuban treaty, which the Cubans have chosen to consider unreasonable. E. V. Morgan, United States Minister to Corea, will succeed Mr. Squiers.

Trying is about the only art that does not suffer from want of practice. The only way to have a friend is to be one.

PROTECTION BY PUBLICATION

Judge and Game Warden Urge Advertising of Statutory Enactments

Unfortunate Man Unknowingly Became Technically Guilty—Fine of \$35, for Snipe Selling

"That Mr. Hartford is morally innocent of any thought of disobeying the law, I am quite convinced," said Judge Houston this morning at the conclusion of the case against William Hartford for selling snipe contrary to the revision of the game laws, "but there is no doubt as to his technical guilt. It seems to me that, in such enactments as the game laws, where it is necessary to make changes and revisions so frequently, they should be duly advertised by the Department in the newspapers within the district affected, and the people thus be protected against unknowingly breaking them."

Game Warden Wm. D. Wigle, who was in the court room, heartily concurred with the Judge in this suggestion and believed that the Department would be ready and willing to act thereon if the matter were called to their attention.

Hartford was charged with offering for sale on the Chatham market, through an agent, Mr. Murphy, twenty-seven snipe, which he had shot. Crown Attorney Smith appeared for the prosecution, and O. L. Lewis for the defence.

Mr. Lewis said the defendant admitted the charge, but said the offence was committed in ignorance of the change in the statute. He had a copy of the game laws in which the sale of snipe within certain time limits was allowed, and was not aware of the amendment until informed by Game Warden Wigle after the offence had been committed. He had made no effort to conceal his act from the officers.

Game Warden Wigle corroborated this statement and stated his belief that the defendant had erred unknowingly.

The Judge suggested a conference between the Crown counsel and the defence, an agreement being reached that the fine should be only \$35, which agreement the court incorporated in the judgment, the men being promptly paid.

The action of the court in taking into consideration the misfortune of the accused in not knowing the law was universally endorsed.

After giving his evidence the Game Warden made a somewhat interesting statement. "I desire, your honor," he said, "addressing the court, to state that it has been reported to me in connection with this case that I was interested therein or was anxious to avoid the prosecution of the accused. This I desire to publicly deny, and I should be pleased to have the court take cognizance of my complete disregard of my action in this matter, so that I may meet it properly and at once."

Both Crown Counsel and Mr. Lewis stated that nothing whatever could be said about the Game Warden, and Murphy and Hartford specifically denied the rumors to which reference had been made.

"You are perfectly right to mention this matter," Mr. Wigle, said the Judge, "because your position in this case is to be distinctly commended, and it is unfortunate that untruthful rumors should be put in circulation."

A genuine treat awaits all Maple City lovers of music in the exquisite recital which is billed for to-morrow evening at the Oddfellows' Auditorium, and the delightful musical menu should be greeted by a large audience. The artists include Frank S. Weltsman, the celebrated piano maestro, and W. Francis Firth, so favorably known as one of Canada's finest baritone, Miss Hillman, who, with such commendable enterprise, has arranged this splendid event, is to be heartily congratulated, and The Planet bespeaks for the recital the success it so well deserves.

HOCKEY MEETING

A very enthusiastic meeting of those interested in hockey was held in the Garner House last evening. There was a good attendance and, judging from the interest manifested, Chatham will have ample support for a hockey team this year.

O. K. Lawton, secretary of the local club, reported that he had received a communication from Tilbury with reference to joining the league formed between Tilbury, Amherstburg, Detroit, and Essex. Every club is in favor of allowing Chatham to come in, with the exception of Essex, who have not been heard from yet. It is almost assured that Chatham will be allowed to enter the league.

Another meeting will be held next week to arrange further particulars. The only way to have a friend is to be one.

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