A BETTER COCKTAIL

At home than can be served over any bar in the world.

This is the modest claim for Club Cocktails—and they are good enough for favorable comparison with any.

Manhattan	1.25 bot.
Martini	1.25 bot.
Gin	1.25 bot.
Vermouth	1.25 bot.
Whiskey	1.25 bot.
Jock—dry	1.25 bot.

MICHIE & CO.
5 1-2 King Street West
Wine Merchants.

RAILWAY NEWS.

A section foreman named Benjamin Tansley and three trackmen in the employ of the Canadian Pacific Railway at Owen Sound have been dismissed. The men claim they have been harshly dealt with, but the company maintain their dismissal was warranted. The charge against the men is that on Dec. 31 last they remained in their shanty, with the door locked, from 1 o'clock until 5, when, after lighting a number of switch lamps, they went home for the day. The men, however, claim that they remained in their shanty only long enough to get warm.

Bound for the Klondike.

Mr. F. J. Long started yesterday on his journey to the Klondike. He will go via the Canadian Pacific to Athabasca Landing, and thence by a private steam yacht to Dawson City, where he expects to arrive about the second week in July. Mr. Long is an enterprising Canadian, born in Barrie, but for a number of years past he has resided in New York city. He will engage in commerce in Dawson City, having sent forward a large shipment of general merchandise, which is to go in by the Yukon.

Mr. Lane of Sundridge and Mr. Milne of Toledo left Toronto yesterday for Dawson City via the Canadian Pacific and Teslin Lake trail. These gentlemen were outfitted by Messrs. Wreyford & Co. Mr. Milne spent some time in looking around the different Klondike outfitting establishments and was so favorably impressed with the bargains and the quality of the goods offered that he telegraphed some friends of his in Toledo who intend going to Dawson City, to purchase their equipment in Toronto.

Eastbound Shipments.

A statement compiled by the Chicago Board of Trade shows the tonnage of eastbound shipments for the week ending Feb. 10. The total tonnage forwarded was 76,418 tons, 2048 tons less than the previous week. The figures for the corresponding week last year were 90,782 tons, 14,364 tons more than last week. The percentages of traffic for the various roads were: Fort Wayne 19.1, Pittsburg, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis 11.1, Michigan Central 7.2, Lake Shore 14.9, Nickel Plate 9.5, Baltimore and Ohio 5, Grand Trunk 12.4, Erie 12, Wabash 4.9, Big Four 3.9. These percentages are normal and do not indicate that any of the roads have been cutting rates.

The Meat Trade.

The Grand Trunk handled three trains of beef over their main line Sunday. The consignment was from Chicago to Boston for export.

A local shipment of 17 cars boxed meats went forward to New York on Sunday for export.

AT THE POLICE COURT.

Arthur Fryer, the young thief who was caught entering a Dundas-street grocery store, was sent to the Central Prison for six months.

Albert McBride was fined $2 by Magistrate Miller for furious driving on Yonge-street.

J. C. Watson, 71 Collier-street, was fined $2 for breach of the snow bylaw.

Arthur Short, an old man, acknowledged being a beggar and was sent down for 60 days.

Ellen Houghton, Broadview-avenue, appeared before the Magistrate for breach of Truancy Act. Her son is 13 years old. His mother said he doesn't go to school "because he wouldn't take the strap." His attendance during the year has been about 20 days. The case was enlarged.

Tom Badgeley, the alleged overcoat thief, was remanded till Wednesday. There is another similar charge against him, the complainant being E. H. Hiscott, 100 St. Patrick-street.

William Hogan promised to pay his wife Kate $1 per week and the charge of non-support was thus settled.

Lou Law, the woman of many remands on a charge of illegal liquor selling, was again remanded. It is alleged that she is ill.

Henry A. Harmon, the high diver, who took another man's overcoat, has sobered up and the Magistrate let him go on suspended sentence.

William Woodhouse, who is charged with assaulting his mother, was remanded till to-morrow, ball being accepted.

ATTO
DRY GOODS ONLY

Tuesday, Feb. 15, 1898.

Clearing-Up Sale

In all departments, before the arrival of New Spring Goods. Splendid chances in Linen Damasks and Bed Linens.
Towels and Towellings.
Linen and Cotton Sheetings.
Linen and Cotton Pillow Casings.
Lace Curtains and Cretonnes.
Art Muslins and Sateens.
White Marseilles Quilts.
Eiderdown Quilts and Blankets.
Black and Colored Dress Fabrics.
Blouse and Dress Length Silks.
Organdie Muslins and Flannelettes.

MANTLES.

Jackets, Coats, Children's Ulsters and Reefers, Walking Skirts, Silk Underskirts, White Cambric Underwear, Flannelette Night Robes and Gowns, Opera Flannel Dressing Sacques.

WATERPROOFS.

Heptonette, in dark and light grey, dark and light fawn, black, navy and fancy checks, showing all sizes, at lowest prices.

NEW GOODS TO-DAY.

Black and White Shepherd Checks, in tweeds and canvas cloths.
Organdie Muslins, at 12½c, special.
Organdie Muslin Shirt Waists, some dozens advance samples, marked at specially low prices.
Check and Plaid Taffeta Silks.
Rich Black Brocades and Grenadines.
All-wool French Printed Flannels, at 30c, regular 60c.
Grand lines of Flannelettes, at 5c, 7c, 9c, 11c, 12½c and 15c.
MAIL ORDERS are given special care at all times.

John Catto & Son
KING STREET
Opposite the Postoffice, Toronto.

HUBBARD KILLS THE QUORUM

Were Discussing Aqueduct Agreement When He Walked Out.

He Wanted to Know a Few Things Which Chairman Sheppard Thought Were Not the Committee's Business—The Deposit of $50,000—Macdonald on Hand.

Chairman Sheppard delayed the meeting of his Fire and Light Committee yesterday afternoon to secure a quorum. Ald. Hubbard was the only committeeman accessible, and his services were not available until the Board of Control had risen. Finally, after a wait of an hour and a half, the Controller came and the committee commenced revising the agreement with the Aqueduct Company. Mr. Macdonald was present and readily acquiesced in every provision the city's representatives suggested. A clause was amended to provide that a deposit from the company of $50,000 should be held by the City Treasurer until the company was in a position to deliver 5000 horse-power, the $50,000 to be forfeited if at the end of two years this amount was not generated.

Hubbard is Cautious.

A number of other clauses were considered and the chairman was hastening through with the agreement when Ald. Hubbard, the only anti-aqueductor present, asked for an adjournment to permit of further consideration. Among the things which had to be provided for was as to whether or not the company's plant would be exempt from taxation.

"Why," said the chairman, "they will certainly have to pay taxes unless it is otherwise provided."

"Well, then," again persisted Controller Hubbard, "we want to know how they propose to generate power."

"That's none of our business," broke in the chairman; "I don't care whether they develop it from an oil tank as far as that goes."

Ald. Hubbard sat down, but it was only for the moment. He picked up his hat and walked out, paying parting regards by calling back, "If it's none of my business how it is generated, I won't either. I don't want this thing to go through to-day."

The sound of the Controller's footsteps was dying away as he walked through the corridors, when the chairman, viewing the ruins of his quorum, spoke his thoughts: "Of his business. I said it was none of ours, that's all he is. I didn't say it was none of his business. I said it was none of ours, and neither it is. I'll have no more of this kind of meetings. Next time I'll have it so one man can't break it up."

The agreement will come up at the next regular meeting of the committee.

RENFREW POLITICS

Excite Less Interest Than Dodd's Kidney Pills' Fight With Disease.

Township Clerk Caskey Cured of Kidney Disease—Fell Down With the Pain—Dodd's Kidney Pills Worked Complete and Lasting Cure.

Arnprior, Feb. 14.—In the County of Renfrew, the coming elections for the Ontario Legislature do not excite such deep and widespread interest as is being taken in the contest between Kidney Diseases and Dodd's Kidney Pills.

This struggle has never for a moment been in doubt, as to the result, since it began. Every "bout" has ended in favor of Dodd's Kidney Pills. Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Rheumatism, Dropsy, Lumbago, Sciatica, Neuralgia, all Urinary and Bladder Troubles, Diseases of Women, and all Blood Impurities yield quickly and surely to the magical influence of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

And in every instance, where Dodd's Kidney Pills have been used, the disease has been cured. Dodd's Kidney Pills bear exactly similar relation to all Kidney Diseases, as anti-toxine does to Diphtheria—they are an infallible cure.

The case of Mr. James Caskey, Clerk of Ramsay Township, has been the principal topic of conversation, for some days past. But any one case of a cure by Dodd's Kidney Pills is no sooner reported than another is made known, and so it goes.

Speaking of his experience with Dodd's Kidney Pills, he says: "I suffered for years with severe pains across my back." (Denoting diseased kidneys.) "At times these pains were so bad that I would fall down. They were accompanied by great constitutional weakness.

"After commencing the use of Dodd's Kidney Pills, I felt immediate relief. This was followed by a complete cure. I have not felt my old trouble since."

Dodd's Kidney Pills are sold by all druggists at fifty cents a box, six boxes $2.50, or will be sent, on receipt of price, by The Dodds Medicine Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

A Warm Evening.

This remark might with propriety be applied to next Friday evening, 18th, the date of the great Williams ball and supper at Oshawa, Ont. The Ball Committee have made big preparations on an extensive and liberal scale for expected guests. There will be a cordial and warm reception to all friends and visitors. Several hundreds of Torontonians, including Mayor Shaw, will be there. The number of tickets to be sold being limited, intending visitors are asked to buy early. The ball train (special) leaves the Union Depot at 7 p.m. Fare to Oshawa and return 75c. Tickets and full information at the Williams Music House, 143 Yonge-street.

88. Canada.

The Dominion Line steamship Canada (9000 tons), one of the most popular steamers on the Atlantic, will sail from Boston for Liverpool on Saturday of this week, at 8 a.m. Although delayed by heavy weather on her recent trip from Liverpool, her time was six days and a half.

The winter rates being in effect, passages in the saloon can be secured at the rate of $60.

Dyspepsia or Indigestion is occasioned by the want of action in the biliary ducts, loss of vitality in the stomach to secure the gastric juices, without which digestion cannot go on; also being the principal cause of headache. Parmalee's Vegetable Pills, taken before going to bed for a while, never fail to give relief, and effect a cure. Mr. F. W. Ashdown, Ashdown, Ont., writes: "Parmalee's Pills are taking the lead against ten other makes which I have in stock." ed

To Administer the Estate.

The Trusts Corporation of Ontario is asking probate of the will of Mrs. Laura Phiden of 24 Walton-street, who died Feb. 7. The estate amounts to $4,720.85, of which $2500 is in money and security, $440 in household effects and $1750 in real estate, being No. 24 Walton-street.

Five Men Fell With the Scaffold.

At noon yesterday a scaffold on a building at St. George and Lowther-avenue gave way and five men who were working on it were thrown to the ground, a distance of 14 feet. All escaped serious injury except James Lennox, who injured his thigh and was taken to his home on Dundas-street in the ambulance.

Mr. J. J. Kelso, Superintendent of Neglected Children, has just returned from a tour of the western portion of the province, during which he addressed meetings at Paris, Brantford and London.

Art Department

WEDNESDAY SPECIAL

We will sell on Wednesday only, in the Art Department, fourth floor—take elevator—a special lot of new and beautiful Photogravures from life, size 22x28 in., 2 in. shell frame, bronze and gold, sold regularly at $1.75, special Wednesday..... 1.00

Perfect Store Service

A combination of circumstances makes this store popular with all classes of shoppers. And prominent among these is the service of the store—its exceptional appointments, attentive salespeople and complete floor organization ever making shopping easy and delightful.

Great Sale of Flannelettes

PURCHASE OF OVER 50,000 YARDS OF NEW GOODS. . .

What the Big Store is capable of doing at all times is in evidence this week in the Flannel and Woollen section—a purchase of 50,000 yards of new season Flannelettes, fresh from the looms. The price paid by us for this immense purchase enables us to quote the shopper prices that are actually less than wholesale figures:

18,398 yards of 32-in. Flannelettes, most desirable goods, sold regularly at 8½c, special at	4c
19,908 yards 32-in. Flannelettes, goods sold always at 10c, special this week at	5c
4036 yards 33-in. English Ceylon finish Flannelettes, sold regularly at 12½c, special this week at	8½c
4528 yards 33-in. English Ceylon finish Flannelettes, heavy, sold regularly at 15c, special this week at	10c
3380 yards dyed Shaker Flannel, in pink and blue, also in plain white, sold regularly at 10c, special this week at	8½c

A Fine Assortment of Art Draperies

The last few days have brought several cases of new Art Materials to the Drapery Section, and the assortment now shown surpasses in design and colorings all former collections. We announce a very special exhibit for Wednesday, and introduce several items particularly special for that day:

50-in. Art Curtain Muslins, fine quality, beautiful colorings and combinations, in a large assortment of designs, special	20c
50 pieces Oriental Draping Crepe, 28 in., very popular cloth in a splendid design, actual value 20c, very special	10c
20-in. Art Lappett Muslin, the very prettiest line of goods at a popular price, light grounds with colored flowers, special	12½c
60-in. Art Muslins, fine finish and very handsome colorings, reg. 25c, special	19c
Extra Special—600 yards Japanese Embossed Draping Silks, exceptionally rich effects, assorted colors, formerly sold at 75c, Wednesday	25c

The Week's Extras in Black Silks

We are known throughout Canada as leaders in Black Silks. Reliability goes with every yard sold by this store. We are headquarters in Canada for Bonnet's Dress Silks, undoubtedly the best wearing silks in the world. Every mail brings us orders for Bonnet's Silks, and they never disappoint.

20 pieces of 22-in. New Black Peau de Sole, manufactured by C. J. Bonnet, Lyons, France, double faced, all pure silk, equal to any $1.25 silk in the market, wear guaranteed, special	88c
15 pieces 22-in. New Black Peau de Sole, manufactured by C. J. Bonnet, Lyons, France, double faced and pure silk, equal to $1.50 silks of other makes, wear guaranteed, C. J. Bonnet, Lyons, France, stamped on every yard, special	$1.00
23-inch Black Taffeta, a genuine French silk, rustling kind, a reg. 85c silk, special	65c
20 pieces Heavy Black Satin Merve, all pure silk, bright finish, a durable silk for shirt waists, reg. 65c, special	50c
10 pieces of 22-in. Black Bengalines, a beautiful rich silk, fine cord, will wear for years, reg. $1.25, while they last at	98c

SPECIALS IN BLACK DRESS GOODS

We put emphasis on our store news of Black Dress Goods. What shoppers like in this store is the thoroughly dependable character of our Black Dress Goods. Everyone seems to say: "Go to Simpson's if you want the best in Black Dress Goods."

44-in. Mantelasse Weave, with silk mixture, reg. $1.25, special	75c
44-in. Heavy Mohair and Wool Mixtures, beautiful design for skirts, reg. $1.50, special	85c
44-in. Priestly's Figured Soliel, also mohair and wool mixtures, several designs, reg. $1, special	65c
44-in. Priestly's Figured Basiste, Wool and Mohair Mixture and all-wool figure, reg. 75c and, 85c, special	50c
40-in. All-wool Coating Twill Serge, reg. 40c, special	25c

The Mail Order system of the store brings all its advantages to the most distant shopper. Samples of dress goods and silks sent on application.

The Robert Simpson Co.
(LIMITED)
S.W. CORNER YONGE AND QUEEN STREETS
170, 172, 174, 176, 178 Yonge Street. 1 and 3 Queen Street West.

Preachers' Meetings.

The regular fortnightly meeting of the Methodist Ministerial Association was held yesterday morning. Rev. G. M. Brown presided. An interesting paper on "Ministerial Ambitions" was read by Rev. S. D. Chown. A discussion followed, in which Revs. Blackstock, Curtis, Hincks and Hunter took part.

At the Baptist Ministerial session Rev. W. W. Weeks led a discussion on "Evangelism," and was followed by Rev. J. Manton Smith.

The Presbyterian Ministerial Association also met, Rev. William Patterson presiding. Rev. J. A. Macdonald, editor of The Westminster, delivered a short address on "Some Necessities of Ministers in Their Work."

Toronto Missionary for Bolivia.

Rev. A. B. Reekie, a young man who has just finished his course at McMaster University, will leave on Friday, Feb. 25, for Bolivia, to commence missionary work in that country.

The Osgoode at Home.

Tickets for the Osgoode At Home may be secured from members of the committee, who will be in attendance at the eastern entrance of the Hall to-day from 3 to 6 o'clock, and to-morrow, Thursday and Friday from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

"KURMA"
CEYLON TEA
Discriminating Tea Drinkers Use No Other.
Lead packages only, 25, 30, 40, 50 and 60c per lb. Sold by all grocers.
The Davidson & Hay, Limited Wholesale Agents, Toronto.

AUCTION SALES.

Suckling & Co.

We have been instructed by the executrix of the estate of the late C Martin to sell at our warerooms on

Wednesday, Feb. 23

At 2 o'clock p.m., the stock of

C. MARTIN & CO.
"Flags of All Nations,"

corner King-street east and West Market-square, "the best known clothing stand in Toronto," in two parcels, as follows:

No. 1—		
	Woolens	$5,443 40
	Trimmings	459 95
		$5,903 35
No. 2—		
	Clothing	$11,903 25
	Men's Furnishings	2,670 16
	Hats and Caps	1,032 62
	Furniture	684 00
		$16,290 03

Terms for each parcel: One-quarter cash; 10 per cent. at time of sale, balance at 2, 4 and 6 months, satisfactorily secured and bearing interest at 7 per cent.

Arrangements can be made for continuing the lease.

Stock and inventory on view on the premises. 626

C. J. TOWNSEND & CO.
22 KING ST. WEST.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Under and by virtue of the powers of sale contained in certain mortgages, which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by public auction, subject to a reserve bid, by Messrs. C. J. Townsend & Co., Auctioneers, at their auction rooms, 22 King-street west, Toronto, on Wednesday, the 9th day of March, 1898, at 12 o'clock noon, the following valuable freehold properties:

Parcel No. 1. Parts of lots 111 and 112, as shown on registered plan 150, in the city of Toronto, more particularly described by metes and bounds in mortgage No. 4311 R, registered in the Registry Office for the Eastern Division of the City of Toronto. On said parcel is said to be erected a large semi-detached two and one-half storey brick dwelling, said to contain all modern improvements, and is known as house No. 39 Grenville-street.

Parcel No. 2. Part of lot 112, as shown on registered plan 150, in the city of Toronto, and more particularly described by metes and bounds in mortgage No. 4310 R, registered in the Registry Office for the Eastern Division of the City of Toronto.

On said parcel is said to be erected a large semi-detached, two and one-half storey brick dwelling, said to contain all modern improvements, and is known as house No. 41 Grenville-street.

Parcel No. 3. Lot No. 172 on the west side of Ternaly-street, Toronto, according to registered plan 154, said lot being more fully described by metes and bounds in registered mortgage No. 7765 R. in the Registry Office for the Eastern Division of the City of Toronto. On said parcel is said to be erected a two-storey roughcast dwelling, and is known as house No. 224 Ternaley-street, Toronto.

TERMS—Ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid at time of sale; balance in cash in 15 days thereafter, with interest thereon at 6 per cent. from day of sale.

For further particulars apply to MACKLEM & DENISON, Vendor's Solicitors, 15 Toronto-street, Toronto.

BY CHAS. M. HENDERSON & CO.
73 KING ST. EAST (NEAR TORONTO ST.)

Special Auction Sale
....OF....
A VALUABLE GRAND PIANOFORTE
COST $1100.
also a Handsome Upright Pianoforte,
To-Morrow at 11 o'Clock,

At No. 73 King-street east (near Toronto-street). Any party wishing to procure an instrument should attend, as they will be sold without the least reserve.

Sale at 11 o'clock sharp.

CHAS. M. HENDERSON & CO.,
Tel. 2358. Auctioneers.

UNDERWRITERS' SALE.

Canadian Steamer "Rosedale," Recently Ashore on Charity Shoal, Lake Ontario.

Sealed proposals will be received up to Feb. 22, 1898, for the steamer Rosedale, as she now lies in dry-dock at Kingston, Ont. The right is reserved to reject any or all tenders. Terms cash.

Tenders marked "Rosedale" may be addressed to the Western Assurance Co., Toronto, Ont. 246

ESTATE NOTICES.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS. In the Matter of the Estate of Jane C. Robinson, late of the City of Toronto, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to sec. 38 of Chap. 129 of the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1897, that all creditors or other persons having any claims against the estate of the above-mentioned Jane C. Robinson, deceased, who died on or about the 21st day of September, 1897, at the city of Toronto, are hereby required to send by post, registered and prepaid, or delivered to the Toronto General Trusts Company, 59 Yonge-street, Toronto, the administrators of the said estate, on or before the 8th day of March, 1898, their names, addresses and descriptions, together with full particulars of their claim or claims, duly verified, and the nature of the security or securities (if any) held by them.

And notice is hereby further given that after the said 8th day of March the administrators will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the persons entitled thereto, regard being given only to the claims of which notice has been received, and the said administrators will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claims they shall not have received notice at the day of said distribution.

Dated this 31st day of January, 1898.

DENTON, HODS & FORD,
Solicitors for the Toronto General Trusts Company, Administrators herein. 2222

NOTICE TO CREDITORS—In the matter of the Toronto Granite Company, limited, carving on business at the City of Toronto, Insolvents.

Notice is hereby given that the above-named insolvents have made an assignment of their estate to me, the undersigned, for the benefit of their creditors, under the R.S.O., 1887, chapter 124, and amending acts.

A meeting of the creditors of the said company will be held at the office of Thorne, Warren & Starr, Room 97, 60 Victoria-street, at 4 o'clock p.m., on Friday, the 25th day of February, 1898, to receive a statement of affairs, appoint inspectors and fix their remuneration, and for the ordering of the affairs of the estate generally.

All persons claiming to rank upon the estate of the said insolvents must file their claims, proved by affidavit, as required by said acts, with me, on or before the day of meeting, after which date I will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate, having regard to those claims only of which I shall then have received notice, and I will not be responsible for the assets of the estate, or any part thereof, to any person or persons whose claim shall not be filed.

A. E. OSLER,
35 Adelaide-street east, Assignee.
Toronto, Feb. 14, 1898. 246

W. A. MURRAY & CO.

GREAT 10 DAYS' CLEARING SALE

2 Big Stocks Combined

Balance of the Walker Building Stock, Together with our own Regular Stock.

Clearing Prices in Readymade Clothing

FRONT SECTION.

Men's All-Wool Frieze Ulsters, in fawns, seal, olive and blacks, high storm collar, slash pockets, extra good tweed linings, stylish lengths, properly cut and tailored, worth $6.50, special sale price $3.95
Men's Beaver, Cheviot and Nap Overcoats, in black and navy, deep velvet collar, fine check tweed linings, silk-sewn edges, perfect fit and well tailored, worth $6.75, special sale price $4.00
Men's All-Wool Tweed Suits, in all the most desirable shades, neatly made and perfect fitting, worth $5.00, special sale price $3.00
Boys' Blanket Overcoats, in navy and black, large detachable chapeau, red piping, well lined, worth $4.75, special sale price $2.50
Boys' All-Wool Frieze Ulsters, in greys, browns and blacks, extra heavy tweed linings, stylish cut, slash pockets, deep storm collar and tab, worth $4.25, special sale price $2.50

NEW BASEMENT.

W. A. MURRAY & CO. KING EAST TORONTO.

Eastwood's Retiring Sale.

The buying public are taking advantage of this sale. Still, there are bargains left for everybody who desires to save money.

Think of This . . .

Ready-Made Clothing selling at 40 per cent. less than cost.

PRICES DON'T COUNT WITH US

Our object is to clear out all our stock as soon as possible.

Dress Goods . . .

The prices of Dress Goods almost cut in two. The same applies to all departments.

Call and be convinced that we are doing just what we advertise—viz., cutting prices and retiring from business.

John Eastwood & Son
122 KING STREET EAST.
Third door east of Cathedral.

BANKS.

THE DOMINION BANK
HEAD OFFICE, TORONTO.
Capital (paid-up).....$1,500,000
Reserve Fund.....$1,500,000

A Branch of this Bank has been opened in MONTREAL—corner of St. Francois Xavier and Notre Dame Streets.

R. D. GAMBLE,
216 General Manager

DUTY ON BIKE TUBING.

A Canadian Manufacturer Says We Will Always Have to Import the Tubing—Is He Correct?

Windsor, Ont., Feb. 14.—The import duty on bicycles in Canada is 30 per cent., and on parts of wheels exactly the same. The tubing and all the steel has to be imported from the United States. "There isn't sufficient business here for a tube factory," said T. S. Evans of the Dominion Typographic Company. "We will always have to import our tubing and forged steel. We use 150 pounds of steel in the manufacture of a bicycle, but when it is completed it only weighs 15 pounds. We have to pay duty on the 150 pounds. The Government should either reduce the duty on parts or increase the duty on imported wheels to correspond with the American duty of 45 per cent. Canada imported from the United States last year 23,526 wheels, valued at $750,366, and parts valued at $270,417. The number of wheels manufactured in Canada for the same period was only 35,000, so that nearly half the wheels in Canada are of American manufacture."

Parochial Changes.

Archbishop Walsh has made the following changes: Rev. Father McGuire of St. Paul's parish, Toronto, transferred to Dixie, to assist Rev. Father Coyle; Rev. Father McEachern of Dixie to Adjala, and Rev. Father Finegan, recently ordained, to assist Rev. Father Hand at St. Paul's, Power-street.

Bullet Located by X Rays.

Robert Foster of Angus was shot six years ago and the bullet has since remained in his right leg. It did not bother him until two weeks ago, when it became very painful. He came to the General Hospital and the bullet was located by X rays yesterday.

MEETINGS.

THE BOARD OF TRADE OF THE CITY OF TORONTO.

SECRETARY'S OFFICE, TORONTO, Feb. 14th, 1898.

A SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING of the Board will be held on

WEDNESDAY NEXT,

the 16th inst., at 4.30 p.m. o'clock, For the purpose of listening to addresses to be delivered by Frank Oliver, Esq., M.P., Alberta, N.W.T., and delegates from the Winnipeg Board of Trade, on the question of

The Edmonton Route to the Klondike.

This will afford the members an opportunity of obtaining much valuable information in reference to AN ALL-CANADIAN ROUTE. By order,

EDGAR A. WILLS,
Secretary.

BOYS' HOME ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Board of Management of the Boys' Home will be held at the Home, 339 George-street, on Wednesday, 16th inst., at 3.30 p.m. 62

K. S. SCOTT, Sec.

A MEETING OF THE SHAREHOLDERS of the Folger-Hammond Mines Company, Limited, will be held at the residence of Col. G. A. Sweny, 160 St. George-street, Toronto, on Wednesday, 23rd February inst., at the hour of 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of organizing the company for the commencement of business; for the purpose of expressly sanctioning a bylaw approving of and carrying out the provisions of two certain agreements bearing date respectively the 7th day of July, 1897, and the 2nd February, 1898, for the purpose of purchasing mining locations 316 X to 322 X, both inclusive, Rainy River District, Ontario, and paying therefor in paid-up shares of the company, and a bylaw providing for the purchase of location 237 X in the said district, and paying therefor in paid-up shares of the company, and for the transaction of general business.

WALTER MACDONALD, R. K. SPROULE, W. H. GARVEY.

MEDLAND & JONES.
General Insurance Agents. Mail Building
TELEPHONES { OFFICE, 1057. MR. MEDLAND 2022. MR. JONES, 5028.
Companies Represented:
Scottish Union & National of Edinburgh.
Insurance Company of North America.
Guarantee Company of North America.
Canada Accident Assurance Co. 246

The Quarterly Official Board of the Parliament-street Methodist Church has appointed Miss Lillie Robertson, pupil of the College of Music, as organist of the church.

WOMAN'S LOVE
and admiration for the beautiful
in Jewellery is proverbial—it is
an index of refinement and taste.

Solitaire Diamond Rings

We show a splendid assortment—
prices ranging from $5 to $500.

SCHEUER'S
WHOLESALE AND 90 YONGE ST. RETAIL JEWELLERS

Dancing and Deportment
—BY—
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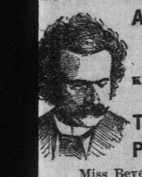
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