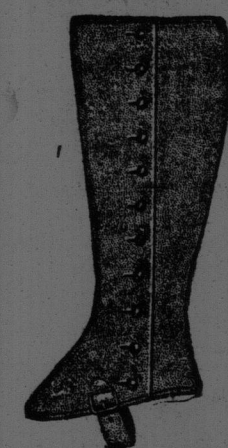


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Our Annual Clearance Sale is still attracting the attention of crowds. From the standpoint of business done it has been a great success. Our customers were all delighted. And so they should be, when women can obtain a real nice \$3.00 or \$3.50 Boot for \$1.98, or a Dorothy Dodd sample for \$2.98, or a man's fine grade \$5.00 Boot for \$2.98. Why should they not buy?



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GOVERNMENT WON'T HELP TO REDUCE COST OF LIVING

Liberal Amendment Proposing Tariff Reform Voted Down—Bill to Repeal Laurier Naval Act

Ottawa, Jan. 27.—By a straight party vote of 108 to 64, a government majority of 44, at a few minutes after midnight in the commons tonight the forces of Conservatism rejected the amendment of Liberalism, as proposed by Sir Wilfrid Laurier to add to the address, in reply to the speech from the throne, an expression of regret that the government had failed to give any assurance of prompt or courageous action to remedy the existing economic depression in the country, and meet the steady increase in the high cost of living by fiscal revision.

The week's debate found the parties clearly divided on the main public issue now before the country. The Conservative attitude has been to adhere unswervingly to the policy of high protection, to believe that conditions arising out of the tariff will right themselves, and meanwhile spend the public money with lavish hands.

At the conclusion of the taking of the vote, Dr. Neely announced that he had a further amendment to propose, whereupon Hon. Geo. E. Foster, who was leading the house in the continued absence of Premier Borden, expressed his surprise that this did not end the matter. The amendment which Dr. Neely will move tomorrow is as follows:

"The house regrets that in the graceful speech with which your royal highness has met parliament the said speech gives no indication of any intention on the part of your advisers to take any steps to secure free access to the markets of the United States for the wheat and wheat products of Canada by removing the duty on wheat and wheat products coming into Canada from the United States."

Hon. Frank Cochrane introduced a bill to extend the time for completion of the parade section of the National Transcontinental to be completed.

Hon. H. R. Emmerson again asked Hon. L. P. Pelletier as regards the 12 hours' alleged delay at Montreal in the delivery of mails to the eastern provinces to points beyond Montreal. The postmaster-general replied that he was looking into the matter.

At the opening of the session J. A. M. Aikens, Brandon, introduced his bill to amend the Dominion Lands Act. H. H. Stevens, Vancouver, introduced a bill to amend the Money Lenders act, and to reduce the legal rate from twelve to ten per cent.

The total sum for the carriage of mails in Canada, to include parcels post, Hon. Mr. Pelletier said yesterday, Frank P. fixed at about three million dollars, the railways have reduced their request from about six millions.

Fig.—"You have seen Scragg's wife; what is she like? Would you call her pretty?"
Fog—"I might if I were talking to Scragg."

COMB SAGE TEA IN HAIR TO DARKEN IT

It's Grandmother's Recipe to Keep Her Locks Dark, Glossy, Thick

The old-time mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur for darkening gray, streaked and faded hair is grandmother's treatment, and folks are again using it, which is quite sensible, as we are living in an age when a youthful appearance is of the greatest advantage. Nowadays, though, we don't have the troublesome task of gathering the sage and the mussy mixing at home. All drug stores sell the ready-to-use product called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy" for about 50 cents a bottle. It is very popular because nobody can discover it has been applied. Simply moisten your comb or a soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears, but what delights the ladies with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur is that, besides beautifully darkening the hair after a few applications, it also produces that soft lustre and appearance of abundance which is so attractive; besides, prevents dandruff itching scalp and falling hair. Agents—Wasson's 5 stores.

MY TIRED FEET ACHED FOR "TIZ"

Let Your Sore, Swollen, Sweaty Feet Spread Out in a Bath of "TIZ"



Just take your shoes off and then put those weary, sore, swollen, aching, burning, corn-pestered, bunion-tortured feet of yours in a "TIZ" bath. Your toes will wriggle with joy, they'll look up at you and almost talk and then they'll take another dive in that "TIZ" bath. When your feet feel like lumps of lead—all tired out—just try "TIZ". Its grand, its glorious. Your feet will dance with joy; also you will find all pain gone from corns, callouses and bunions.

There's nothing like "TIZ". It's the only remedy that draws out all the poisonous exudations which puff up your feet and cause foot torture. Get a 25 cent box of "TIZ" at any drug or department store—don't wait. Ah! how glad your feet get; how comfortable your shoes feel. You can wear shoes a size smaller if you desire.

A GOOD CLOTHES ROMANCE

John P. Condon, the Semi-ready man, says: "A young lady came in to see me a few weeks ago and confided that she was deeply interested in a young man, a very well-known man about town, but that she had not been able to get him to wear the right sort of clothes."
"Can you fit him?" she asked.
"I assured her that I could fit the hard to fit and showed her a beautiful new brown pattern I had just received from the semi-ready designers."
"Now that's the kind of suit I want him to wear. I'll ask him to run in and you show him that suit."
"I promised."
"The young man came in the following day, looked at the suit, was pleased, but he hesitated me."
"If I lose that young lady I'll put the blame on this suit and I'll never wear another semi-ready suit in my life. I've always gone to the retail tailor, as you call them."

LADIES' ASSOCIATION, C. OF E. INSTITUTE

At the annual meeting of the ladies' association of the Church of England Institute, held yesterday afternoon, Mrs. R. D. Tilley, first vice-president, being in the chair, a stirring address was given by Rev. R. A. Armstrong, president of the institute. The report of the treasurer showed a balance of \$121.68 in the bank. The reports of the standing committee were very encouraging. A resolution of thanks was passed to the members of the new church house in Princess street.

Officers were elected as follows: President, Mrs. E. Cowgill; treasurer, Miss Helen Sidney Smith; board of management, Mrs. Walker, Mrs. W. D. Foster, Mrs. J. K. Schofield, Mrs. J. S. Harding, Mrs. L. P. D. Tilley, and Miss Lillie Hazen; delegates to Women's Council, Mrs. F. del. Clements, Mrs. McMillan, Mrs. Alfred Porter, Miss Stephenson.

Charges are Reduced.

In Quebec yesterday Messrs. Nichols and McNab, proprietors and editors of the Montreal "Daily Mail," appeared before the bar of the legislative assembly to give evidence in the charges made by them regarding alleged corruption and graft in the Quebec legislative assembly. The charges were materially reduced when they came before the bar. Their article had named seven as being implicated, while they were yesterday able to accuse only one member of the house, Mr. Thousseau, of bribery.

The United Kingdom imports more fruit than any other country of Europe spending \$6,500,000 a year on it.

She Was Helpless For Two Years

Why Mrs. Baldwin Recommends Dodd's Kidney Pills

She Could Find Nothing to Cure Her Rheumatism Till On a Neighbor's Advice She Tried Dodd's Kidney Pills
St. Walburg, Sask., Jan. 27.—(Special)—"I can truly recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills for any one suffering from Rheumatism." These are the words of Mrs. W. A. Baldwin, a highly respected resident of this place. And Mrs. Baldwin gives her reasons.
"I was nearly helpless with rheumatism for two years," she states. "I got medicine from the doctor, and tried several other remedies but nothing helped me. Then one of my neighbors advised me to try Dodd's Kidney Pills. I bought four boxes, and they helped almost from the first. I have used nearly two dozen boxes and am nearly cured."
That rheumatism is one of the results of diseased kidneys is again shown in Mrs. Baldwin's case. She had headaches, stiffness of the joints and backache, her sleep was broken and unrefreshing, and she was always tired and nervous. Her limbs swelled and she was always thirsty. These are all symptoms of diseased kidneys. When she cured her kidneys with Dodd's Kidney Pills the symptoms vanished—and so did the rheumatism.

Only 11 Cts. a Yard For New Full Width Printed Cambrics in Neat Designs and Fast Colorings at The January Sale Continued Thursday In Wash Goods Department

THURSDAY WILL BE "Towel Day" IN THE LINEN ROOM

In connection with our Free Hemming Sale of Household Linens and Cottons, we will have a special showing of Towels of all kinds, half dozens and dozens at special prices.

OUR COUNTER DISPLAY, AS FOLLOWS:

Checked Glass Towels—Red or blue check, fringed ends. Half dozen for 27c, 32c. and 48c.
Huck Towels, Hemmed Ends—Half dozen, for 58c, 63c, 70c, 78c, 80c, 88c, 90c, 95c, \$1.05, \$1.10, \$1.15, \$1.30, \$1.35, \$1.45, \$1.50, \$1.55, \$1.75, \$1.80.
Huck Towels, Hemstitched Ends—Half dozen for \$1.05, \$1.30, \$1.50, \$1.55, \$1.70, \$2.00, \$2.05, \$2.35, \$2.60.
Huck Towels, Fringed Ends—Half dozen for 75c, \$1.10, \$1.15

SPECIAL VALUES IN TOWELS OF THE HIGHER GRADE

Strong Huck, Pure Linen Towels—Handsome Damask borders, and in a variety of designs, all nicely hemstitched and full size. Prices for half dozens.....\$2.75 to \$7.25
Also with scalloped ends. Half dozen for \$2.65 to \$4.75
Fine Guest Towels—All pure linen, scalloped or hemstitched ends, plain huck or pretty Damask patterns. Half dozen.....\$1.55 to \$3.00
Guest Size and Full Size Extra Fine Quality Hand Embroidered Towels—Ranging from \$5.50 upwards for half dozen.
Turkish Bath Towels, Hemmed, Hemstitched or Fringed Ends:—
FREE HEMMING.
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ATTENTION MOTHERS

If You Have or Know of a Delicate Child Read This Letter

"My little daughter Louise, aged 9 years, has always been delicate, anemic, had no appetite and seemed listless, and we could not seem to find anything that would help her, until we were advised to give her Vinol. She started taking it six weeks ago and in a side of two weeks she showed a marked improvement both in appetite, vim and looks. Being so well pleased with the results, I continued giving it to her, and words fail to express my gratitude, and faith in Vinol both as a blood maker and body builder. As my child was anemic for so long makes the reason all the stronger for me to recommend it to others in similar condition." Geo. E. Munro, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Vinol restores health and strength in conditions like this because in a natural manner it increases the appetite, tones up the digestive organs, enriches the blood and strengthens every organ of the body.
Every bottle of Vinol is guaranteed to give satisfaction or money refunded. Chas. R. Wasson, Druggist, St. John.

MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRE

W. K. Gross was re-elected mayor of Moncton, N. B., yesterday over Dr. L. N. Bourque, by a 249 majority.

Robert Reid, charged with stealing a watch and some clothes in Moncton, was sentenced yesterday by Judge Borden to the Westmorland county court, to two years in the Dorchester penitentiary.

Sir Redmond Roblin in Winnipeg yesterday told delegates from the Women's Suffrage Association that he was opposed to women's suffrage and said that he had found no corruption in Canadian politics.

Gertrude, aged nine years, eldest daughter of Oscar Roach, of Roachville, N. B., was drowned yesterday while playing on ice on a pond near her home. She was found in four feet of water just a few yards from her home.

A four year old St. John boy, Jimmie Scallie, bearing a tag on the lapel of his coat saying "Railway men and passengers—please take care of me," passed through London, Ont., yesterday on his way to join his mother who is ill in that city and, as his father was unable to accompany him, he was sent alone.

President Wilson yesterday endorsed Britain's stand with regard to the Panama Canal tolls and said that the present law violated a trade treaty with England. He appointed Colonel Goethals as governor of the canal zone, to take effect April 1.

Scott Act Inspector Colpitts of Carleton county who was dismissed from office by the council says he will not give up his position to his successor, J. F. McLean, who has also entered upon the duties of the office. Colpitts claims that a two-thirds vote was necessary to discharge him and he has declined to withdraw.

Sentence was deferred yesterday in New York on two chauffeurs John Chandler and Chester Davis, charged with being members of a gang of motor thieves said to have stolen automobiles worth \$100,000 during the last two years.

It is thought at Ottawa that Andrew Broder, M. P. for Dundas, will succeed O. J. Mills whose term ends this year, on the railway board.

Mrs. Jensen said to Mrs. Lammie in perfect confidence—"Do you know mine is the prettiest baby in the world?" "Well, really, now, what a coincidence," said Mrs. Lammie. "So is mine."

PREPARING STATISTICS TO SHOW SAFETY OF BAY OF FUNDY ROUTE

The board of trade secretary is now compiling statistics of loss by wreck in the Bay of Fundy since 1896, when St. John became Canada's winter port. H. T. Hoag, the secretary, recently applied to the department of marine for information necessary for this work and yesterday received a reply from Hon. Mr. Hazen, advising that he is having the information prepared and will send it as soon as possible.

At a meeting of the special committee of the board of trade yesterday afternoon, the street paving bill was considered and a resolution passed endorsing the general principle of the bill. The matter will come up at the next full meeting of the board.

Kings County Prosperous.

At a meeting of the Kings County Council yesterday at Hampton, the receipts for the year were shown to have been \$447,192.22, with an expenditure of \$227,188. The report of Dr. Wetmore, chairman of the county board of health, was approved, as was the report of Accountant Atherton, the auditor. Some new by-laws were passed, including one to restrain undue noises at public meetings, concerts, etc., under a \$10 penalty.

LEPROSY BEING HEALED

German Institution Believed to Possess Cure

Berlin, Jan. 28.—Leprosy, one of the few diseases heretofore still considered incurable, is being healed at a government sanatorium near Memel, according to a report of the institution. Two women patients have already been discharged as cured, and one man was discharged as improved. Since leprosy is contagious, it is assumed that the improvement in this case was very great, else the patient would not have been allowed his liberty. The method used in treating the disease is not described.

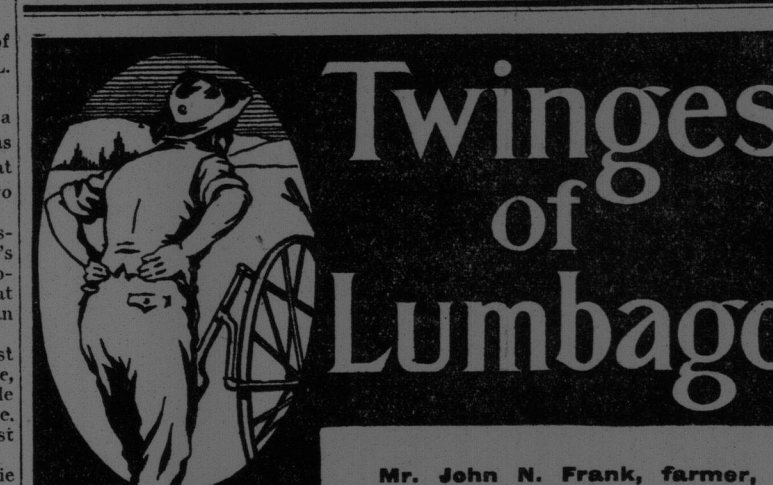
The Memel institution has existed for some years. It was founded primarily to deal with cases of leprosy brought in to East Prussia each year by wandering laborers from the east. All leprosy found in Germany are now sent there for treatment.

A cure for leprosy is of especial interest for Germany, since her African colonies are plagued with it.

OPERA HOUSE NEWS

To See a Musical Show

David Harum took his sister to see a musical comedy in New York city. She was shocked, and his laughable description of her confusion is one of the choice bits of the play.



Twinges of Lumbago
Mr. John N. Frank, farmer, Mink Lake, Alta., writes:—"For two years I suffered from lumbago. Sharp pains would dart through the back and sides or come on suddenly when bending or twisting the body. I could not do any work for months of each year, was often confined to the bed unable to sit or stand."

"Since using Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, I have not lost any time and have been very greatly benefited. Though I still have slight attacks this treatment seems to be driving the disease out of the system."

"I have been entirely cured of annoying itching piles of three years' standing by use of Dr. Chase's Ointment."

So long as the kidneys fail to eliminate the poisons from the blood there is bound to be suffering from pains, aches, rheumatism and lumbago. To make the cure thorough and lasting you must use Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. One pill a dose, 25 cents a box, 5 for \$1.00, all dealers. Sample box mailed free if you mention this paper. Edmondson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

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