HURCULEAN TASK AHEAD

Hor. C. R. Breckinridge of Arkansas Tells Something About U.S. Indian Affairs.

The Hon. C. R. Breckinridge of Pine Bluffs, Arkansas, stopping in the city ing information regarding the Indian territory yesterday. Mr. Breckinridge, who is a native of Kentucky, and an old friend of Professor Murray of this on for the administration of the mission for the administration of the Indian lands in Indian territory. The United States government originally reserved over 20,000,000 acres for the five tribes of that country, of which land each tribe held its share as a communal possession. The growing settlement of the Western States has complicated this as hear the discovery complicated this, as has the discovery of enormous deposits of coal and asphalt, most of which are leased to eastern capitalists. The Indians, of whom hardly one-fifth are full-bloodthe still segregations in habits, and farm the land they hold, all of which, being in the Rain Belt, is tich

which, being in the Rain Belt, is rich farming Iand.

In consequence of the difficulties arising from communal ownership, the government found it necessary in 1898 to establish a commission for the purpose of establishing just who are the heirs to the immense property held by these tribes, dividing it into individual possessions, and for interim administration. As there are, as has been said, over 20,000,000 acres of land, and as the true Indian heirs number about 80,000, the task of surveying, valuating and dividing the property is a herculean one, which cannot be concluded for several years still. This territory, which lies between Texas, Missouri and Kansas, is covered with a network of railways, and many of a network of railways, and many of the men who transact the business of the towns and cities are of Indian blood. Mr. Breckinridge contrasted the race future of these Indians with that of the American negro, pointing out that assimilation with whites is causing the former to disappear, a result which may never be looked for in regard to the slave race.

AUTO TOURISTS.

A. O. Brand and L. L. Borden of Chi-A. O. Brand and L. L. Borden of Chicago, who are on an auto tour to Montreal, stopped last night at the Arlington. Mr. Borden's machine is of 24-horse power, American made, and excited a good deal of comment yesterday afternoon on account of its unusual size. They report excellent roads in Canada excepting in some rural disconting of the control of the state of the control of the state of the control of the state of the control of the co Canada, excepting in some rural dis-

FROM FAR-OFF ARGENTINA.

L. C. Aleman of the Argentine Republic, a young man who has come to Ontario to attend the Agricultural College at Guelph, is stopping at the Arlington. He says that the O.A.C. and all organizations in agriculture in Ontario have the highest repute in the agricultural development there is fol-lowing the example so Set, and is send-ing its future officials up to Canada

GETTING 23,000 RIFLES,

Pekin, Aug. 2.—Yuan Shai Kai, the viceroy of Chi Li Province, is said to be placing large orders for arms in anticipation of the prohibition of their importation into China, which occurs this month. He has ordered from Japan 23,000 rifles and 48 field pieces and from Germany a number of machine Two thousand soldiers from Mo

have arrived at Port Arthur and 14,000 more are reported to be en route.

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Royal Muskoka \$6.55, Muskoka Lakes
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\$5.95 to \$7.70. Burks Falls and Magnetewan River \$6.95 to \$9.30. Penetang and Georgian Bay \$4.75 to \$14.25.

Lindsay, Kawartha Lakes \$3.45 to \$5.45. Intercolonial resorts \$32.75 to \$44.50. Montreal \$17.60, Quebec \$20.00,
Portland, Me., \$24.75, Sault Ste, Marie and Mackinay Island, including meals and Mackinaw Island, including meals and perths, \$24.75, or Duluth \$34.75. Call at Grand Trunk City Ticket Office for further information and illustrated guides, giving rates for hotels and boarding houses. J. W. Ryder, northwest corner King and Yonge-streets.

Root.Gardner Fight Pictures. The finest moving pictures ever taken of a boxing contest are those of the Root-Gardner fight, which was held at Port Erie July 4. Manager Herman of the International Athletic Club has control of these pictures, and will except them. control of these pictures, and will ex-hibit them in Shga's Yonge-street Thea-tre Thursday. Friday and Saturday. The perfection of these pictures has as-tonished the public of Chicago and New York, where they were shown during the past week. Toronto js the only Canadian city in which these piconly Canadian city in which these pictures will be exhibited, and that will only be for three days, as the great demand for the films in other cities prohibits their remaining here for a longer time. They will be shown continuously afternacy, and company of the continuously afternacy and company of the continuously afternacy and company of the continuously afternacy and company and company of the continuously afternacy and company of the continuously afternacy and continuously afternacy performance lasting one hour and seventeen minutes. Do not miss this opportunity of seeing the greatest moving picture the photographer's art has

Try Hanlan's Point To-Day Holiday merrymakers will find much to amuse them at Hanlan's Point to-day. The performances in the open-air vaudeville theatre will be about the best of the season. Some of those who will appear are Meyers and Mason, in a grotesque comedy sketch; M'lle Ale grotesque comedy sketch; M'lle Alcedo, cornet and violin virtuoso and vocalist; Norton and Russell, in a novel change act; Nowlan, Ellis and Nowlan, the daring acrobats; Harry Alcedo, the fun-making juggler; Billy Rowe, the singer and dancer, and others. Four performances will be given, at 1.30, 3.30, 7 and 8.30 p.m. The championship lacrosse match between Torontos and Capitals will com-The championship lacrosse match be-tween Torontos and Capitals will com-mence at 3.30.

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Monday August a

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Store Closed To-Day, Civic Holiday.



Furniture Sale Starts To-Morrow, Tuesday

\$1.25 English Brussels for 78c.

1000 yards good quality English Brussels Carpet, 27 inches wide, with 5-8 borders to match, a good range of patterns to select from, regular value \$1.00, \$1.25, 70 Tuesday

65c English Tapestry, for 43c 865 yards English Tapestry Carpet, 27 inches wide, full range of artistic patterns and colorings to suit any style of room, regular value 55c and 65c, on sale

00 54 Table Covers, \$1.98.

180 Heavy English Tapestry and Chenille Table Covers, in handsome colorings and designs, comprising Oriental, floral, fruit and scrolls, in red, blue, greens and brown, with combination of other colors, sizes 2x2 and 2x2 1-2 yards, heavy knotted fringe and borders all around, and sold regularly up to \$4, Tuesday,

\$2.75 Damask Linen Table Cloths \$1.68 250 Satin Damask Linen Table Cloths, in pure full grass bleached, single and double damask, all new and handsome designs, with border all around, size 2x2 1-2 yards, also heavy Scotch fringed damask cloths, with border, and made of extra heavy quality linen, size 2x3 yards, and sold regularly at \$2.25, \$2.50 and \$2.75, 1.68

Sample Quilts Reduced.

98 only Manufacturer's Sample Quilts, consisting of white satin finish, figured damask, in white, American crochet, and a few colored unions, with fringed sides,

15c Bleached Cotton for 8 1-2c. 3000 yards Bleached Cotton, in long cloth, cambric finish and shirting cotton, all 36 inches wide, regular 12 1-2c and 15c per yard, Tuesday, to clear 82

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Fresh Flaked Wheat, regular 40c per stone, Tues day33 California Prunes, regular 7c, 5 pounds Tuesday 25 Best Pot Barley, regular 4c, 5 pounds Tuesday. .. .10 California Evaporated Peaches, regular 10c, 2 pounds Choice Dairy Butter, pound prints, Tuesday17

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35c Muslins for 8c.

Big Clearing Purchase. 8000 yards new Muslins, embracing the wanted kinds stylish French organdies, satin stripe mulls, Belfast mities, and exclusive American novelty effects, in all colors and patterns; also black and white and white and black; this rare buying chance came our way and places us in a position to sell these handsome fabrics, worth up to 35c, Tuesday, all one price, per vard .. See Yonge-streets window. Cannot fill Phone or Mail

Orders. 00

adies' \$2.25 Umbrellas, \$1.45.

285 Ladies' Umbrellas, with fine taffeta silk and wool covers, best steel frame, and extra fine assortment of handles, in natural wood, Dresden, horn or pearl, regular \$2.25, Tuesday 1-45 No. 1

The Great August Furniture Activity Begins Right After the Holiday. "Souvenir Chairs" to celebrate the first day in the newly furnished fourth floor.

You'll be glad we moved—that is if you're among the first lucky hundred to get here Tuesday morning. To cause a little bit of sentiment to hover over the first few sales in the new quarters we've taken 100 Rattan Rocking Chairs-handsome, commodious, comfortable chairs-and marked them as you'll see in the first paragraph below.

Our August Furniture Sale will now occupy the attention of all people to whom thrift and economy are of any importance. We have so many opportunities for you that we can't tell you all in the papers. So pay an early visit Tuesday if you want to see the collection entire with the red-ticketed reductions untouched.

100 large size Kattan Rocking Chairs, heavy fall rolled edges. saddle shaped, woven and cane seats assorted patterns, regular price up to \$8.50. August Sale Price.....

Morris Reclining Easy Chairs, solid oak frames, golden finish, adjustable backs, denim upholstered reversible cushions, regu-

saddle shaped, wood seats, brace arms in sets of 5 small and 1

Parlor Suites, 5 pieces, mahogany finish, frames upholstered in fancy figured velours coverings, silk plush band trimmings. Fancy Parlor Tables, in solid quarter-cut oak and mahogany, polish- Parlor Rocking Chairs, in solid oak and mahogany finish frames, with Iron and Brass Bedsteads, white enamel finish, 1 1-16 inch post pil-

lars, with brass ralls, knobs and caps, size 3 ft., 3 ft. 6, 4 ft. 4 arm chair, regular price \$14.00 set, August Sale Price...... 10.90 ft. 6 wide, regular price \$6.00, August Sale Price.......4.69 Bedroom Suites, in selected ash, golden oak finish, 3-drawer bureau,

Dining Room China Cabinets, in solid quarter-cut oak, golden polish with shaped top, 20x24 inch bevel plate mirror, combination washstand,

Men's \$10.00 Blue Suits, \$5.95.

Some are serge with a worsted finish, some are clay worsteds. All are worth a third or more than what we'll sell them for. One of our foraging expeditions through the factories brought them to this pass.

100 only Men's Fine All-wool Clay Twill and Worsted Finished Serge Suits, in navy blue and black shades,) made up in the correct single-breasted sacque style, with deep facing and lined with good farmers' satin, sizes 34. 44, regular 7.50, 8.50 and 10.00, your choice Tuesday......

Tuesday in the Hosiery Sale.

Values unequalled in Canada, as far as Hosiery is concerned, may be found at our Hosiery Department. One of the largest, if not the very largest, aggregations of specially bought Hosiery ever imported into Canada is now on sale at prices proportionate to those at which it was secured in Europe.

EXTRA SPECIAL. 1,200 yards Black Japanese Silks,

guaranteed Lyons dyed, bright finish, extra heavy blouse and dress qualities, 23 and 27 inches wide,

Sale of Black Silks,

Look ahead a month or two. You'll have plenty of uses for black silk then—if not now. Right now is the time to buy, however, and here at this store is the place. Ladies' Finest Quality Englishmade Pure Wool Ribbed Black Cashmere Hose, medium and heavy Lace Lisle Hose, full fashioned, Hermsdorf dve regular 5th Hose, medium weight, double sole, 1-2 Hose, with pure natural wool

toe and heel, sizes 6 to 10, Hosiery | sole, Hermsdorf dye, full fashioned, regular 30c, Hosiery Sale,

New Belts for Fall, 1903.

New Silk Belts, black and white, hemstitched, folded, corded and tucked, etc., some with handsome belt clasps and black ornaments to match, in burnished gold, antique, green and light and dark oxidized finishes, some of the extreme novelties come with the front steamer, with metal pendants to match the buckles, a particularly stylish belt is made of black silk elastic, 12 inches wide, with narrow long buckle at back; this same belt is also made of folded taffeta silk, our belt styles and variety far surpass any previous season, prices range from 25c to \$5, special at 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1, New York's latest belt buckles, novelties, also on display. 25c to \$2.

Our Lunch Room will be on the Fifth Floor by Tuesday. Breezier and brighter than ever.

Men's 50c and 60c White Night Shirts, 30c. Might as well have a couple at this price. White

shirts too -in spite of the fact that cotton is distinctly 240 Men's Night Shirts, made from good quality white cotton, collar attached, large bodies, full length, strongly made, sizes 14 to 17, regular price 50c and 80c, on

sale Tuesday, at, each back, double or single pleated bosom, made from good quality shirting cotton, well made, perfect fitting, sizes

14 to 17, regular price 75c, on sale Tues-

> 00 Straw Hats for 9c.

Men's and boys'. and a month to wear 'em. 'Iwo days in the hot sun more than makes up for the cost of em. Yachting Caps and Tennis Caps similarly reduced.

Men's and Boys' Straw Hats, in plain white braid, with colored bands, or in black and white mix straw, plain bands, regular 25c, Tuesday9 Men's and Boys' Yacht and 6-4 Crown Caps, assorted

Men's White Tennis or Outing Hats, extra fine quality, Christie's, English make, regular price \$1,

"Swell" August Hats

We are showing some of New York's latest ideas in light felt Summer Hats, in pearl and white, black and white, white, navy and white, brown and white, beaver and white, black, or mavy, with handsome bird or qui trimming, these are very "swell" hats and are marked very closely from \$3.50, to 5.50



The Great \$3.50 Shoe for Men

Box calf or Vici Kid or Patent Vici Kid-you can't beat the Victor for present day wear. It is made light, but every part is perfect stoci, style, workmanship aed wearability.

\$4 Club Bags, \$2.50.

100 solid grain leather club bags, 16 and 14 in long, pressed base, leather lined, steel frame, Omega lock, clasps, easy leather handle, inside pocket, regular \$4.00, one hundred only, on sale Tuesday on fifth floor, at. . 2.50

> 00 mbrellas.

90 only Men's and Women's Umbrellas, all high-grade goods, with the best taffeta covers, silk cased, best stee frame, and extra quality of handles, in ivory, burnt ivory, Dresden, born or natural woods, gold or sterling silver mounted, regular \$4.50 and \$5.00, Tuesday. 2.50

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3 Books of the Day.

Temporal Power, Marie Corelli's latest book, paper binding, the regular 75c edition, Tuesday..... 25

The Puppet Crown, by Harold McGrath, paper Graustark, by G. B. McCutcheon, paper binding, Tuesday 25

00 50c Wall Paper, 12½c.

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