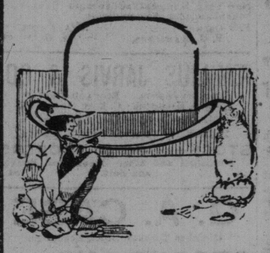
# HATS THAT REIGN



Spring hats red hot from the manufacturers — blocks made by such makers as Dunlap of New York and Heath of London, Eng., for whom we are sole Canadian agents. Those are the fashions we have in our show cases to-day. Those are the hats that reign.

We don't want you to compare our hats with any other you know of in Canada, for ours are exclusive—they are in a class by themselves.

**THE W. & D. DINEEN CO., LIMITED,**
**COR. YONGE AND TEMPERANCE STS.**

# 'Prevention is Better Than Cure'

It's an old maxim, but a true one—the time to buy the Raincoat is before you get the wetting—our Raincoat Department has become one of the largest in the store, and we flatter ourselves we have done not a little to develop the idea that a Raincoat, whether for lady or gentleman, should have just as much style in its own way as any garment we sell. We are showing extensive patterns in English and American garments, and quoting special prices for this month. We want you to compare our styles and our values.

## For Ladies

34 Genuine Heptonette Three-quarter Rainproofs, Bell sleeves, box-back, colors fawn, olive and Oxford ..... **4.50**

21 Full Length Rainproof Garments, box-back, Bell sleeves, fawn, olive and Oxford greys, special value ..... **7.00**

10 Fawn and Oxford Rainproofs, 3 capes and half belt ..... **13.00**

## For Men

8 Genuine Harris Tweed Ulsters, full loose backs, regular price $25, for ..... **18.00**

13 Donegal Tweeds, well lined, made to our own order, worth $22.50, for ..... **16.00**

5 Scotch Tweed Ulsters, special value $15, for ..... **10.00**

**J. W. T. Fairweather & Co.,** 84 & 86 YONGE STREET.



THE ROBERT **SIMPSON** COMPANY, LIMITED

H. H. Fudger President; J. Wood, Manager. Mar. 8

STORE CLOSES AT 5.30.

## A Rain Coats for $4.95.

In the Men's Store.

Who would be without a Rain Coat when the Men's Store can offer them so reasonably? We were fortunate in running across this particular lot because ordinarily they have sold previously at $6.50 and $7.50, but no more fortunate than the Men's Store customers who get them to-morrow.

75 Men's Fine Covert Cloth Rain Coats, rubberized, the colors are dark Oxford grey and fawn, made up in the long, loose Raglanette style, fancy plaid linings and ventilated at arm holes, sizes 35-46, worth 6.50 and 7.50, Wednesday ..... **4.95**

58 only Men's Fine English Covert Cloth Rain Coats, in medium fawn and olive shades, cut in the long, full swagger style with set on cuffs on sleeves and vertical pockets, fancy plaid linings, seams sewn and taped, ventilated at arm holes and finished with bottom rubber facings, sizes 34-44, regular 9.00 and 9.50, Wednesday .... **6.95**

## Men's and Boys' Collars for 2½c.

We'll clear up the last of those Collars to-morrow at 2½ cents apiece. Men's Furnishings Section.

240 dozen Men's and Boys' Collars, a clearing of ends broken lines, regular lines and seconds, all good styles, slightly soiled, in the lot are stand-up, turn-down, lay-down and wing or turn points, all good quality collars, this is a chance for you if you can find your size, in the lot are sizes from 12 to 18, regular prices 12½c and 18c, on sale Wednesday 30c per dozen, each .... **2½**

265 Men's Suspenders, Policemen and Firemen kind, heavy elastic web, solid slide buckles, patent cast-off, leather ends, also medium weight elastic web with wire buckles, mohair ends, good patterns, full length, regular prices 25c and 35c, on sale Wednesday, per pair ..... **19**

Men's Pure Silk Combination Knit-to-Fit Underwear, medium weight, cream shade, silk trimmed, pearl buttons, best of finish and workmanship, perfect form fitting, very elastic, this lot is a clearing of our regular line and sizes 34, 36, 38, 40 and 42, regular price per suit 10.00, on sale Wednesday, to clear, per suit ..... **4.98**

## Better Buy an Umbrella.

What does Old Probs say? RAIN. And Old Probs is just about as wise there as ever he was—wiser in fact. Did you ever see a winter leave so much snow on the ground for March to take care of? Do you suppose that it will go without rain, rain, RAIN—and plenty of it? Now is the time to buy an Umbrella, for now is the time you'll have to have it.

65 only Men's Full Size Umbrellas, with taffeta silk and wool covers, silk cases, best steel rods and handles in natural boxwood, cherry or congo, all silver mounted, regular 2.00, Wednesday ..... **1.49**

110 Ladies' Umbrellas with fine taffeta silk and wool covers, carved and well assorted handles in pearl, ivory, horn, Dresden or natural woods, regular 2.25, Wednesday ..... **1.59**

## The Great $3.50 Shoe for Men.

A man wants a pair of boots this weather. Slippers won't do him. Shoddy Shoes won't do him. Brown paper filling takes a back seat now. A man wants Boots of good straight out-and-out leather.

See the Victor in box calf. Good heavy sole. Stout, strong, dry and comfortable.

Handsome boot too, because, though substantial, it is made on good lasts, and neatly made at that, and finely finished.

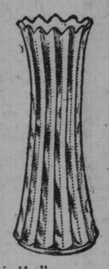
In fact it's a $5.00 boot—a $5.00 boot without the middle profits and expenses which go to you as a discount.

"A $5.00 boot for $3.50."
All widths, sizes, styles.
This store only.

## Crystal Flower Tubes 15c.

Tall, Slender, Graceful, New.

A new idea in flower vases is the flower tube. For the early spring flowers such as Easter lilies, carnations, daffodils, narcissus, etc.—in fact any of those exquisite long stemmed blossoms, these tall drawn crystal vases are perfect. They are made by new process discovered by accident. The glass is drawn or stretched while molten, and the symmetry of the long slender stem-like vases is preserved as could only be procured otherwise by the cutting process which would bring the cost up to ten dollars or more. These beauties for to-morrow will be selling "specially"



AT 15 CENTS

500 Tall, Slender Glass Flower Tubes and Vases, sparkling American crystal glass, graceful taper shapes, imitation cut glass effects, particularly suitable for Easter lilies, carnations, daffodils and other flowers with long stems, average height 15 and 16 inches, Wednesday ..... **15**

21 and 27-inch sizes specially priced at 35c and 75c.

## The Marshall Sanitary Mattress.

For sale in the Furniture Department.

The most comfortable, wholesome and indestructible Mattress made.

## "Get the Habit."

Lunch at Simpson's and forget the weather for half an hour.


## WHEAT BREAKS FURTHER

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figures do not show much decline from Saturday. The price looks high, and it remains to be seen what success the bulls will have in marking prices up. We would advise caution, as the price could be dropped very easily if the leading bulls sold any large portion of their lines. Country reports all say the corn is unusually moist and in soft condition. This corn will have to be moved before hot weather or it will spoil in the country elevators.

Oats—Market to-day was a great surprise to the trade. A leading house was a heavy buyer of May, taking over 1,250,000 bushels. It is supposed they were covering a line of shorts put out last month. The reason for their action is probably the idea that receipts have reached their maximum and will decrease during the remainder of this month. The south reports a continued good demand from consumers.

Provisions—Hogs were 10c higher, receipts light. Indications point to a smaller run of receipts in March than in February. It would seem to be good policy to buy on weak spots now and sell on advances of 20c to 25c per 100 lbs. The market had a very bad break last month, and this will have an influence in holding bullish sentiment in check. We should say, however, that prices are now on a legitimate basis.

### New York Grain and Produce.

New York, March 7.—Flour—Receipts, 30,475; sales, 2900. Flour was dull and barely steady; Minnesota patents, $5.25 to $5.65; Minn. bakers', $4.20 to $4.70; winter patents, $5.20 to $5.60; winter straights, $5 to $5.35; winter extras, $3.60 to $3; winter low grades, $3.15 to $3.80. Buckwheat flour nominal. Rye flour quiet; fair to good, $4.30 to $4.55; choice to fancy, $4.60 to $4.85.

Wheat—Receipts, 33,150; sales, 750,000 bushels. Wheat was dull and weaker, owing to bearish cables, room unloading and good weather in the southwest. May $1 to $1.00⅛, July 96 11-16c to 97⅛c, Sept. 88⅞c to 89⅝c.

Rye—Steady; No. 2 western, 85c, to arrive.

Corn—Receipts, 141,900. Corn ruled quiet, but steady on the cables and bad weather west.

Oats—Receipts, 204,000.

Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 2 15-16c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 7-16c; molasses sugar, 2 11-16c; refined firm; crushed, 5.25c; powdered, 4.65c; granulated, 4.55c.

Coffee—Steady; No. 7 Rio, 6⅝c.

Lead—Firm, $4.60 to $4.65. Wool—Firm; domestic fleece, 28c to 32c. Hops—Firm; state, common to choice, 1903, 30c to 37c; 1902, 24c to 28c; olds, 10c to 15c; Pacific coast, 1903, 27 to 33c; 1902, 24c to 27c; olds, 10c to 15c.

### New York Dairy Market.

New York, March 7.—Butter—Unsettled; receipts 8476 lbs; creamery extras, per lb., 24c; do., firsts, 21c to 23c; do., seconds, 17c to 20c; do., thirds, 15c to 16c; do., held, extras, 21c; do., firsts, 17c to 20c; do., seconds, 15c to 16c; do., thirds, 14c to 14½c; state dairy tubs, firsts, 20c to 21c; do., seconds, 16c to 18c; do., thirds, 14c to 15c; western imitation creamery extras, 19½; do., firsts, 17c to 18c; do., seconds, 14½c to 15½c; renovated extras, 17c; do., firsts, 15c to 16c; do., seconds, 14c to 14½c; do., thirds, 12c to 13c; western factory, current make, firsts, 15½c; do., seconds, 14½c to 15c; do., thirds, 12½c to 13½c; do., held, 13c to 15c; packing stock, current make, No. 1, 14½c; do., No. 2, 13½c to 14c; do., No. 3, 12½c to 13c; do., held, 13c to 15c; rolls, fresh, 13c to 15c.

Cheese—Steady; receipts 2067 boxes; state full cream, fall made, small fancy, 12c; do., choice, 11c to 11½c; do., late made, small, good to prime, 10⅝c; do., common to fair, 9½c to 10½c; do., fall made, large, fancy, 12c; do., choice, 11c to 11½c; do., late made, large, good to prime, 10⅝c; do., common to fair, 9½c to 10½c; do., light skims, choice, 6c; do., prime, 6½c to 6⅝c; do., part skims, prime, 6c to 6½c; do., good, 5½c to 5¾c; do., common to fair, 3c to 5c; do., full skims, 1½c to 2c.

Eggs—Firm; receipts 11,243 dozen; state and Pennsylvania fancy selected white, 23c; do., average finest, 22c; do., seconds to firsts, 20c to 21c; western and Kentucky, seconds to firsts, 20c to 21c; southern, 20c to 20½c; dirties, 18½c to 19c; checks, 16½c to 17½c.

### Liverpool Grain and Produce.

Liverpool, March 7.—Wheat, spot quiet; No. 1 Cal., 7s 6d; futures steady; March nominal; May, 6s 8¾d; July, 6s 7⅝d. Corn, spot American mixed, new, easy, 4s ¼d; American mixed, old, quiet, 4s 6d; futures firm; March, 4s 3¾d; May, 4s 2¾d. Bacon, long clear middles, light, quiet, 33s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, quiet, 33s; short clear backs, 38s; lard, prime western, in tierces, dull, 37s; American refined, in pails, quiet, 37s; cheese, American finest white, quiet, 48s.

The imports of wheat into Liverpool last week were 13,200 quarters from Atlantic ports and 22,000 from other ports.

The imports of corn from Atlantic ports last week were 24,100 quarters.


**Doctored Nine Years for Tetter.**—Mr. James Gaston, merchant of Wilkes-Barre, Pa., writes: "For nine years I have been disfigured with Tetter on my hands and face. At last I have found a cure in Dr. Agnew's Ointment. It helped me from the first application, and now I am permanently cured."—135.


### JUNCTION CATTLE MARKET.

Receipts at the Junction cattle market were 25 car loads, comprising 505 cattle and 49 sheep and yearling lambs.

The quantity of fat cattle was good, some extra well finished loads of butchers' and exporters, especially the latter, being among the deliveries.

Trade was brisk, everything being sold before noon, and more cattle would have found ready sale.

The following is a complete list of drovers and dealers who brought in the receipts of the day:

R. Cusack, St. Thomas, 1 car, 23 cattle.
Thomas Heal, Mitchell, 3 cars, 62 cattle.
J. Cronin, Dublin, 2 cars, 40 cattle, 11 sheep.
Wm. Hearn, Guelph, 2 cars, 42 cattle.
A. Scott, Brampton, 2 cars, 43 cattle.
T. O. Robson, St. Marys, 2 cars, 39 cattle.
Wm. Pridham, Mitchell, 2 cars, 42 cattle.
J. McCullough, Woodstock, 1 car, 19 cattle.
Wm. Taylor, Brucefield, 1 car, 22 cattle.
C. J. Reid, Clinton, 1 car, 19 cattle.
J. O'Donnell, Forest, 1 car, 23 cattle.
D. O'Leary, Tavistock, 1 car, 19 cattle.
J. Vance, Tavistock, 1 car, 23 cattle.
Geo. Pearce, Stratford, 2 cars, 25 cattle, 38 sheep.
Mr. Doyle, Ailsa Craig, 1 car, 22 cattle.
C. H. Reid, Brucefield, 1 car, 22 cattle.
Wm. Levack, 1 car, 22 cattle.

William Levack bought 19 car loads, or about 580 cattle, at following prices: Exporters at $4.40 to $4.85, the bulk going at $4.65 to $4.75; export bulls at $3.50 to $4; best loads of butchers' at $4.25 to $4.40; loads of good at $4.15 to $4.25; fair to good at $3.85 to $4; common to medium at $3.60 to $3.75; rough to inferior at $2.75 to $3.25.

Mr. Levack also bought 132 Chicago cattle, which he expects to arrive on (Tuesday (to-day).

E. Snell bought 6 loads exporters, 1200 to 1300 lbs. each, at $4.50 to $4.80 per cwt.

McDonald & Mayhee sold 23 butchers', 1145 lbs. each, at $4.13 per cwt.

F. Coughlin of the firm of Price & Coughlin, live stock dealers of Montreal, was a visitor at the market.

J. Elliott of Kingston, John Sullivan of Liverpool, England, live stock dealers, also were visitors.

## CATTLE MARKETS.

**Cables Unchanged—Prices Have a Downward Tendency at Montreal.**

2808; good steers firm to 10c higher; medium slow; com. 10c lower; bulls steady; fat cows shade lower; others steady; steers, $3.25 to $5.30; extra, $5.60; stags and oxen, $4.40 to $5; bulls, $3.15 to $4.20; cows, $1.70 to $3.40; fat western heifers, $3.90 to $4.50. Exports to-morrow 1440 cattle, 2461 sheep and 4900 quarters of beef.

Calves—Receipts 1824; veals steady to strong; barnyard calves steady; veals, $4 to $8; choice, $8.25; tops, $8.50; little calves, $3 to $3.50; barnyard calves, $2.50 to $3.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 7017; sheep firm, lambs 15c to 25c higher; sheep, $3.25 to $4.25; no good sheep here; lambs, $5.70 to $6.50.

Hogs—Receipts 8246; market 15c to 20c higher; state and Pennsylvania hogs, $5.50 to $5.90.

### East Buffalo Live Stock.

East Buffalo, March 7.—Cattle—Receipts 4250 head; steady to good quality, 10c to 15c lower on common; prime steers, $5 to $5.25; shipping, $4.40 to $4.75; butchers', $4 to $5; heifers, $3.25 to $4.50; cows, $2.75 to $3.90; bulls, $3 to $4.25; stockers and feeders, $3.40 to $4.25; stock heifers, $2.50 to $3; fresh cows and springers, $2 to $3 lower; good to choice, $42 to $48; medium to good, $28 to $40; common, $18 to $25.

Veals—Receipts 500 head; steady; $5.50 to $8.

Hogs—Receipts 10,200 head; active, 10c to 15c higher; heavy, $5.85 to $6; mixed, $5.80 to $5.90; yorkers, $5.60 to $5.70; pigs, $5.45 to $5.60; roughs, $5 to $5.30; stags, $4 to $4.50.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts 15,000 head; active; lambs and yearlings 25c higher; lambs, $5 to $6.50; yearlings, $5.25 to $5.75; wethers, $4.90 to $5.10; ewes, $4.60 to $4.75; sheep, mixed, $3 to $4.85.

### Montreal Live Stock.

Montreal, March 7.—About 700 head of cattle, 100 calves and 150 sheep were offered for sale at the east end abattoir today. The wet weather did not prevent a fair trade being done, but prices had a downward tendency. Prime beeves sold at from 4½c to 5c per lb., good mediums about 4¼c, ordinary mediums 3½c to 4c and the common stock at 2½c to 3½c per lb. A large number of calves were sold at the stock yards this morning, leaving only young veals, which sold at from $1.50 to $3 each. Sheep sold at 3¼c to 3½c per lb., lambs at about 4½c per lb. Good lots of fat hogs sold at about 5½c per lb. There were about a dozen ordinary milch cows on the market, but there seemed to be little demand for them. Prices ranged from $30 to $45 each.

### Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, March 7.—Cattle—Receipts, 30,000; steady to 15c lower; good to prime steers, $5 to $5.85; poor to medium, $3 to $4.80; stockers and feeders, $2.50 to $4.15; cows and heifers, $1.50 to $4.50; canners, $1.50 to $2.50; bulls, $2 to $4; calves, $3 to $6.50; Texas-fed steers, $4 to $4.65.

Hogs—Receipts to-day, 23,000; to-morrow, 25,000; about 10c higher; closed easier; mixed and butchers', $5.25 to $5.65; good to choice, heavy, $5.55 to $5.72½; rough, heavy, $5.25 to $5.50; light, $4.50 to $5.50; bulk of sales, $5.25 to $5.55.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 30,000; steady to 10c lower; good to choice wethers, $4.25 to $4.75; fair to choice, mixed, $3.50 to $4.25; western sheep, $3.50 to $5.25; native lambs, $4.75 to $5.85.

## DON'T WANT NEW CAR LINE.

**Proposed Route From Bloor to Queen Objected to by Residents.**

The recommendation of the City Engineer for the construction of a new car line from Bloor-street down North, St. Mary's, Chapel, St. Joseph, St. Vincent, Grenville and Elizabeth streets to College and then down Teraulay to Queen street, has met with strong disapproval from many residents in the district affected north of College-street.

"There is absolutely no necessity," said a prominent north-ender yesterday, "for such a route as suggested, and the property-owners would never consent to the car tracks being constructed. The streets are all narrow, and the large number of curves that would be necessary would render the operation of cars dangerous. The district is entirely residential, and so great a portion is devoted to parks that none of the people are more than a few minutes from the cars, while the traffic to the north is not sufficiently heavy to require additional car service.

"That section of the city enclosed by Bloor, oYnge and College streets, and Spadina-ave. should be forever kept free from the introduction of street cars. The university grounds and Queen's Park are the playgrounds of thousands of children, and within the area mentioned there should not be allowed anything that will interfere with their enjoyment. If a car line is started, mothers will be afraid to allow the youngsters out without a dread of accidents, of which there would doubtless be a great number."

### N.W. RATEPAYERS.

The Northwest Toronto Ratepayers' Association met last night and elected the following officers: President, John H. Dunlop; vice-president, A. A. McLeod; secretary, George F. Scott; treasurer, J. E. Dewart; chairman of executive, B. J. Sinclair; executive, Wm. Weichel, H. Chalmers, W. V. Todd, Charles Mould, J. E. Duncan and Wm. Westbrook.

The meeting discussed the extension of the street railway along Bloor to Dundas, repairs to the pavement on Lansdowne-avenue, a new sidewalk for Brock-avenue and lights for new streets just opened up.

The next meeting will be held the second Monday in April.

### ONE QUEEN ILL AND SAD.

The Hague, Holland, March 7.—Disquieting reports are current here about Queen Wilhelmina's health and happiness. All the bloom of youth has vanished and she looks pinched, old and miserable.

Her consort grows more and more unpopular. If the queen should ask the states general (congress) for a divorce it would be granted with joy.

Prince Henry gets more uninteresting in appearance every day. Everybody at court except his two or three intimates detests him. He does nothing but hunt and drink, and is utterly indifferent to the queen.

She is deeply troubled, too, because there is no prospect of her having an heir to leave the throne to.

### 13 Murderers in Sing Sing.

Ossining, N.Y., March 7.—There are now 13 convicted murderers in the death house in Sing Sing Prison, and Warden Johnson says there is no room for any more. There were originally accommodations for eight prisoners in the death house, but the number of cells has been increased. Until recently 10 was the highest number of condemned men that occupied the death house at one time. The last man to be received was Totterman, who was convicted of the murder of a woman in an east side hotel, in New York City.

### Fell After Fifteen Years.

New York, March 7.—Geo. H. Secor, for 15 years cashier of the foreign freight department of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad, was arraigned before Judge Foster in the court of general sessions to-day and committed to the Tombs, in default of bail, charged with larceny in the second degree. An affidavit of the auditor said that Secor had made away with $10,166 of the railroad funds.

### Automobiles and the Weather.

Monday night's blizzard did not stop the Winton or the Rambler. Other automobiles reported or advertised as having made successful trips were pushed into shelter and the occupants reached home by street car or on foot as best they could. Ride a Winton or Rambler and get there and back. Automobile & Supply Company, sole Canadian agents. advt.

### To the Bitter End.

Rev. Prof. Cody, addressing the Canadian Club at luncheon yesterday, said it would be the greatest possible calamity if the present civic investigation was not carried then to the bitter end. There should be no indifference or indulgence shown. A. J. Atkinson also joined in the discussion. Hon. Sydney Fisher will speak next Monday on agricultural matters.

### Down in Gotham.

New York, March 7.—The betting on the Russo-Japanese war here is 3 to 5 on Japan and out, 100 to 1 on Russia to win, no place betting.


# English Raincoats Special $20

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## ELEVATOR BROKE HIS NECK SAD ACCIDENT AT HANOVER

**Adam Hauert, an Employe of Knechtel Furniture Company, Meets Instant Death.**

Hanover, March 7.—A sad accident happened here to-day in the Knechtel Furniture Company's factory, causing the death of Adam Hauert, one of the company's oldest employes. Some of the bolts in the gearing of one of the elevators became loose and Mr. Hauert, who usually attended to all repairing in the factory, went to tighten them. This being done, the elevator was started down the shaft, but caught on a projecting rod and stopped. When the elevator stopped the machinery went on and unwound the cable which held it. Mr. Hauert then went under to see what was wrong, and catching hold of the swinging cable gave it a jerk. In doing so the elevator was loosened and commenced to fall. Seeing his danger he tried to get from under, but was too late, the elevator striking him, breaking his neck. He leaves a widow and six young children to mourn his untimely death.

### Held Preliminary Meeting.

The preliminary meeting of the committee appointed by the presbytery to confer with the authorities of Knox Church regarding the sale of the church site was held yesterday. Rev. R. Haddow is secretary for the committee. No decisive action was taken, and the committee will meet at an early date for more definite consideration.

### Can't Restrain Her.

Paris, March 7.—The civil tribunal of the Seine to-day decided against the application of M. Porel, director of the Vaudeville Theatre, to restrain his wife, Mme. Réjane, from appearing in "La Bourrasque" company with M. Coquelin. All costs were imposed on the husband.

### Dreyfus Case Again.

Paris, March 7.—The criminal branch of the court of cassation to-day took up the supplementary investigation of the Dreyfus case.


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THE **TORONTO SECURITY CO.**
"LOANS."
Room 10 Lawlor Building, 6 King St. W


## SCANDAL IN THE STATES BARTER IN INDIAN LANDS

**Trafficking of Officials Must Cease or the United States Will Be Discredited.**

Washington, March 7.—President Roosevelt to-day transmitted to congress a report of Charles J. Bonaparte and Clinton Rogers Woodruff in the matter of irregularities in Indian Territory. The president says:

"In accordance with the recommendation of Messrs. Bonaparte and Woodruff, the members of the commission to the five civilized tribes have been informed that if they are to continue in the service they must cease all connections with business operations of any kind in the territory, where it is posible that their official positions would be of any effect on their private businesses, even if no such effect be in fact shown.

"The report of Messrs. Bonaparte and Woodruff stigmatizes the conditions in the territory as involving immediate danger of ruin to the genuine Indian population and profound discredit to the United States, exciting reasonable discontent on the part of all classes of the population and demanding prompt and drastic remedies on the part of congress."

It says that the connection of Thomas Bixby, chairman of the commission to the five Indian tribes, with the Canadian Valley Trust Company impairs his usefulness. His investments in what are known as "possessory rights" in town site lands are stamped as yet more objectionable. The investments of Commissioner Breckenridge of the same body are stated to be of much graver importance, and his considerable investments in corporation stock, the report says, have seriously impaired his public usefulness. A. T. Aylesworth, chief clerk of the commission, and H. V. V. Smith, its disbursing officer, the report says, are identified in public opinion (but not proved) with real estate speculations disproportionate to their means, and the report says such speculation should be strictly forbidden and all officials engaged in it should be separated from the service.

The report says the five tribes commission can be abolished with advantage, the remaining work to be done by the Indian inspector and the citizenship court.

### PASSENGER AGENTS' TRIP.

The executive of the Canadian Ticket Agents' Association met at the King Edward yesterday to arrange details of the association's trip to the St. Louis Exposition. President MacNamara, Walkerton, was unable to be present. W. Bunton of the C. P. R., Peterboro, acting as chairman. Members of the executive present were: E. Delahooke of the G. T. R., London, who is secretary-treasurer of the association; W. Jackson, C. P. R., Clinton; W. Harper, C. P. R., Chatham; J. W. Ryder, G. T. R., Toronto; W. H. Mackay, C. P. R, St. John, N.B.; D. Turner, C. P. R., Millbrook, and C. E. Morgan, G. T. R., Hamilton.

The folowing general passenger agents were in conference with the executive, touching arrangements for the trip: G. T. Bell, G.P.A. of the G.T.R., Montreal; S. G. Hatch, assistant G.P.A., Illinois Central, Chicago; A. H. Notman, assistant G.P.A. of the C.P.R., Toronto; J. D. Macdonald, D.P.A. of the G.T.R., Toronto; G. B. Wylie, D.P.A. Illinois Central, Buffalo, and J. Richardson, D.P.A. for the Wabash Line, Toronto.

It was decided after some discussion that the association gather together in London on or prior to May 13 next, to leave there on that date by special train for St. Louis to spend a week at the exposition.

### Razors Brought Him 1 Year.

Arnprior, March 7.—John Clarke, who was arrested at Mattawa on Friday last for entering Posey's barber shop at Arnprior and stealing fourteen razors, was brought here to-day by Chief Mattson, and pleading guilty was sentenced by Police Magistrate Tierney to one year at hard labor in Kingston Penitentiary.

### Consul Nosse Denies.

Montreal, March 7.—Japanese Consul Nosse denies all knowledge of Dr. Birk and of the willingness of Japan to accept Canadian volunteers. Mr. Nosse says Japan can fight her own battles, and while his government appreciates very highly the many offers from Canadians, yet for the present at least no offers of volunteers can be accepted.

### The Grand Union, Ottawa.

A number of senators, members and families have engaged rooms for the session at the Grand Union Hotel, Ottawa. Those who have not arranged for accommodation should write or wire at once.

Capt. the Hon. Reginald Ward, brother of Earl of Dudley, is dead at London from appendicitis.