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Special Day for China and Crockery Thursday

Bargains Everywhere at Our Basement Clearing Sale

SALE PRICES. 89c Fine White Cups and Saucers, sale price 5c Blue Print Green Print or Gilt Sprig Cups and Saucers, sale price, 3 for 20c Blue Print Dessert Plates, sale price, 3c Blue Print Porridge Bowls, sale price, 3c Gravy Boats, sale price, 8c Cream Jugs, sale price, 8c 4 pieces White Toilet Sets, sale price, 98c Largest and best 6-Piece Toilet Set in London, sale price, set, \$1.69

All Christmas China at Sale Prices Pick them out. 20 per cent off regular price, and in some cases 25 per cent and more. Look for the 15c China Table on Thursday 25c China for 19c 35c China for 29c 50c China for 39c 75c China for 59c \$1.00 China for 79c All our 40-Piece Tea Sets at sale prices.

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Mrs. Potts' Nickel-Plated Sad Irons, at, per set 98c No. 9 Copper-Bottom Boiler at 98c Nickel-Plated Tea Kettles, 8 or 9 size, 98c 3-Quart Granite Sauce Pans, Regular 25c, 10c 6-Quart Granite Sauce Pans, Regular 45c, 25c Coal Hods at 15c, 25c and 29c 21-Quart Granite Dish Pans, (very large size), Sale price 59c

Main Floor Specials for Thursday

Ladies' Vesting Waists \$1.25 Ladies' White Vesting Waists, made in the Gibson style, with or without pocket, laundered collar and cuffs. Special value \$1.25 Ladies' Pure Wool Vests \$1 Ladies' Pure Wool Vests, "Turnbull's make," perfect fitting; white or natural color; nicely finished; silk-trimmed. Extra special value at each \$1.00 Men's Umbrellas 50c Men's Umbrellas, durable union covers, steel rod and strong steel frames. Suitable for school children. Extra special \$50c Ladies' Hand Bags 75c Ladies' Solid Leather Hand Bags, with pocket and purse; brown or black color; extra strong clasps; nicely lined. A bargain at... 75c Ladies' Cashmere Hose 3 Pairs \$1 Ladies' Fine Black All-Wool Cashmere Hose, in plain or ribbed, seamless and double heel and toe; perfectly fast color. Special value, at 35c, or 3 pairs for \$1.00 Williams' Toilet Soap Lilac, Forget-Me-Not, 10c Matinee, Violet and Carnation... 3 cakes for 25c

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SONS OF ENGLAND HONOR KING EDWARD'S BIRTHDAY

Rousing Celebration Was Held Last Night in Local Hotel.

The members of Beresford Lodge, Sons of England, held a royal celebration in the Richmond House last evening in honor of the King's birthday. Mr. E. T. Essery presided, and after ample refreshments had been done a splendid banquet, prepared by Host V. L. Cook, the following toasts were responded to: "The King," "The Army and Navy," proposed by the chairman, and responded to by Job C. Cook, "The Sons of England," proposed by E. Davey, "The Beresford Lodge," proposed by W. Baskerville, of the Canadian Order of Foresters, W. Jones, Visiting, proposed by the chairman, and responded to by A. E. Dunne, W. Smith, W. J. Jenkins and W. Jacobs; "The Host and Hostess," proposed by the chairman, and replied to by P. E. Widdicombe, vice-president of Beresford Lodge, in behalf of Mr. and Mrs. Cook. During the evening musical selections were rendered by A. E. Dunne, P. E. Widdicombe, F. Vann, W. Bentley, A. Pullin and C. Johnston, and were greatly appreciated. Among the guests present were W. J. Graham, T. W. Jones, P. E. Widdicombe, A. Flawn, Wilson Brown, H. Callingham, John Hitchens, Frank Vann, A. Benbow, Thomas Cole, secretary; D. Smith, W. A. Golding, J. J. Harding, Dave C. Hunt, J. C. Boush, Frank Tibury, John Nicholls, T. Mann, J. W. Hibbert, T. H. Pitt, G. W. Stovey, F. L. King, William Stoke, John Nutkins, P. Duckworth, B. Hammond, Bill Edgar, W. Murray, A. C. Payne, Alfred Looker, W. Wardscastle, E. Davey, J. Bennett, Conrad Hinson, John Edgar, W. R. Baskerville, W. DeHart, P. Collins, C. Finch, W. Cotton, Frank Tibury, John Curran, Jos. Hardiman, P. Kelly, Jas. Walsh, J. Cummings, D. Boon, C. R. Bayes, Walter Smith, Edward Hulbert, Fred Barker, Thos. Harvey, W. Eldon, E. Brooks, W. Smithson, R. Parsons, Geo. W. Tapp, H. A. Schafer, Albert Tapson, Alfred Woodbine, J. H. Henson, H. Hammond, G. A. Thompson, Jos. Hardiman, W. W. Widdicombe, Pullen, Wm. Vincent, A. T. Woodfine, B. Askey, G. H. White, C. Ball, Ed. Hulbert, T. Payne, W. Kilgallon, W. J. Canham, G. W. Athorley, E. W. Johnson, E. Dunn, T. Avery, R. Jupp, L. Hamilton, Hugh McGregor, E. J. Dennis, D. McLean, Arthur Jackson, G. Cook, P. D. D. E. T. Essery, Ed. Webb, J. Woodward, E. H. Wemyss, B. Barker, H. Powell, T. Dobson, J. Dibb, W. J. Smith and E. Price.

RECOMMENDED APPEAL IN INJUNCTION CASE

Advice of Federation Executive on Sentence of Compers and Mitchell.

Toronto, Nov. 9.—The A. F. of L. executive report, presented this morning, reviewed the proceedings in the Bucks Stove case, which resulted in President Compers, Secretary Morrison and Vice-President Mitchell being sentenced to terms of imprisonment for contempt of court, and recommended an appeal from the decisions in both the original injunction and the contempt cases growing out of it. Suggestions were made also for a draft bill for presentation to Congress, providing for old-age pensions, for industrial education, and for better laws for the protection of workmen from accident.

LABOR DELEGATE WAS ASPHYXIATED

Representative of Typographical Union Meets With Tragic Death.

Toronto, Nov. 9.—A delegate to the American Federation of Labor convention, Mr. Ernest E. Russ, of Third street, Niagara Falls, N. Y., was found dead in his bed this evening at No. 22 Shuter street, where he had a room. He represented the Typographical Union of Niagara Falls. On a table beside the bed was found a letter to his wife, telling her of the good time he expected to have in this city. Death was due to asphyxiation, the gas jet being half-turned on and the room full of gas. Russ reached the city Monday night, and retired late. He did not answer any knocks on the door during the day. Becoming apprehensive, however, G. Foster, in whose house Russ was staying, had the door broken in, this evening, and Russ was found dead.

NEW DEPARTMENTS OF WORK SUGGESTED

Regular Meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union. The W. C. T. U. met Tuesday, with the president, Mrs. Hubert Assipian, in the chair. Various new departments of work were suggested by the executive, and approved by the union, and it was then proposed to give, early in December, a supper for the entertainment of the honorary members, the union and their friends, and other lovers of temperance. A charge of 25 cents to be made to help with the expenses. Rev. Mr. McRoberts, of Hill Street Methodist Church, addressed the meeting, basing his remarks on 51st psalm. A communication was received from the Baptist Mission Board requesting the prayers of the members of the union for a blessing on their convention to be held in this city next Wednesday. Mrs. Johnston, of Tiverton, North Bruce, was present and had been requested to give an address. She hoped the question, "What shall we do to raise funds for a new building?" would soon be answered by the rearing of a structure worthy of the London Union. The

LABOR CONDEMNS FERRER'S EXECUTION

Resolution Denouncing Act Was Moved at Federation Congress at Toronto.

Toronto, Ont., Nov. 10.—The feature of yesterday's session of the American Federation of Labor was the moving of a resolution condemning the execution of Prof. Ferrer, the Spanish revolutionist. In the matter of the controversy over the secession of a faction of the electrical workers, the executive council gives an exhaustive report. Under section 1, article xi, of the constitution, central and state bodies chartered by the American Federation of Labor are prohibited from admitting to or retaining in membership seceding organizations. The report says: "After exerting every means at our command to have state and central bodies comply with the constitution, and suspend the seceding unions of electrical workers, there was no alternative but to revoke the charters of the following state and federal bodies for failure to comply with the constitution: Iowa State Federation of Labor; Ohio State Federation of Labor; and the central bodies of Cedar Rapids, Iowa; Dayton, Ohio; Chicago, Ill.; Duluth, Minn.; Albany, N. Y.; Hornell, N. Y.; Jamestown, N. Y.; Cleveland, Ohio; Newark, Ohio; Toledo, Ohio; Connelville, Pa.; Dallas, Tex.; Sherman, Tex.; Ogden, Utah; Everett, Wash.; St. Louis, Mo.; Atlantic City, N. J.; and Logansport, Ind.

THINKS POPE MAY RESIDE IN AMERICA

Dr. Sproule Addresses Orange Meeting in Toronto.

Toronto, Nov. 9.—A banquet was given last night by the Orange Lodge to Dr. Sproule, M. P. E. G. Porter, grand master, and he was presented with an oil portrait of himself, the work of Mr. W. A. Sherwood. In his address Dr. Sproule said he thought the power of Rome was diminishing in Europe, but gaining in Britain, Canada and the United States, and he feared that in a few years the Pope would move from Rome to Canada or the States. He had heard that no measure affecting personal liberty was introduced in the Canadian Parliament without the approval of the Papal legate, and he felt sometimes that he was not welcome in the Conservative caucus, because of his Orange principles. Among those present were: Sir Mackenzie Bowell, A. E. Kemp, Col. Sam Hughes, M. P. E. G. Porter, M. P., Edmund Bristol, M. P., Mayor Oliver, controllers Geary and Hocken, Ald. McGillicuddy and G. A. Sherwood.

GATHERING AT OTTAWA

Ottawa, Nov. 9.—Members of the Commons and Senate are coming in on every train for the opening of Parliament on Thursday. So far about half a million have arrived from the Maritime Provinces have arrived.

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These are very new and dainty, and in pretty evening shades; pain, pink pale blue, cream, grey, old rose, champagne and biscuit grounds. A silk and cotton material with heavy silk thread stripes, all in self colors; soft and clinging and drapes beautifully. These are entirely new and are sure to be picked up quickly, as there are only about three dresses to a color. 40 inches wide, at, per yard 65c

New White Vestings, 15c to 30c

A new and complete line just opened. Cotton Vestings have become very popular for odd waists to wear under your coat for fall and winter. They wash and do up so nicely, and always look neat. The variety of designs in this new shipment is the best we have yet shown, including Stripes, Spots, Crossbars and Small Figured Effects, in two widths. 27-inch Vestings at, yard, 15c, 20c, 25c and 32-inch Vestings, at, per yard 25c and 30c

French Cambric Shirts, 25c Yard

These, as well as for men's and boys' shirts, are very popular for ladies' shirtwaists, and we are now showing a fine range in Fancy Colored Stripes, Spots and Small Figured Designs; perfectly fast in color and 32 inches wide, at, per yard 25c Also English Oxford Shirts—Our reliable qualities for men's and boy's working shirts, in Fancy Checks and Stripes; fast colors; at, per yard 15c, 20c and 25c

Turkey Red Chintz for Comforters

A beautiful assortment in Paisley and Pretty Floral Designs, 32 inches wide at, per yard 12 1/2c and 15c And 36-inch at, per yard 15c (The 15c quality is extra heavy.)

Figured Sateens, 12 1/2c to 30c

Beautiful colorings and designs for comforter coverings, in old rose, mahogany, red, reseda, olive, pale blue, dove, cream and pink grounds; fast colors, and 30 inches wide, at, per yard 12 1/2c, 18c, 25c and 30c

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MYSTERY SURROUNDS MR. BECK'S LETTER

Power Question in Hamilton Is Developing Some Interesting Phases.

Hamilton, Nov. 9.—Much mystery surrounds the letter from Hon. Adam Beck read to the aldermen at the council meeting last night. Not the least mysterious feature of it is how it came to be placed on City Clerk Kent's desk after the office was closed at 2 o'clock. The letter was dated from London on Saturday, but it was not mailed to Hamilton. It came in a large square, plain envelope. There was no sign of it when the employees of the city clerk's office quit work. It was reposing peacefully there at 10 minutes to 8 o'clock, when Mr. Kent arrived, and he handed it over to Mayor McLaren. How did it get there? Why was it not posted from London if it was written there? Why was it timed to reach the council at the very last minute, when, if it had been mailed from London on Saturday, it would have reached the mayor the first thing yesterday morning? Did Solicitor Lobb bring the letter here on Saturday when he came to confer with some of the local hydro lieutenants? These are some of the questions the aldermen are asking.

UNABLE TO BRING DEAD MAN TO LIFE

Hypnotist Uses Power in Vain on Subject Who Died in a Trance.

Somerville, N. J., Nov. 9.—While Arthur Everson, self-styled "professor" and travelling hypnotist, sobbed in his cell, three calm medical men witnessed a weird performance in the morgue of the Somerset Hospital late this afternoon. There William E. Davenport, secretary to the mayor of Newark, and a student of hypnotism, vainly tried to bring back signs of life in the rigid body of Robert Simpson, former street car conductor of Newark, who apparently died last night after having been put into a hypnotic trance by Everson before a large audience at the Somerville theatre. Davenport failed. Simpson was declared officially dead and an autopsy was held tonight. Meanwhile, charged with manslaughter, Everson remains in prison where he must await the action of the grand jury as a sequel to a stage trick familiar throughout this country and abroad.

DISASTER AT SEA

Schooner and Barkentine Collide Off the Maine Coast.

New York, Nov. 9.—News of a disaster at sea, in which at least six lives were lost, was brought to New York today. Six of the crew of the barkentine John S. Bennett, bound from New York to Halifax, with a cargo of coal, were drowned early on Monday morning, when she was sunk in collision off Rock Island with a schooner supposed to be the Merrill C. Hart, of Thomaston, Maine. The schooner is also believed to have

WOMAN CHARGED WITH KILLING FATHER-IN-LAW

Woman Charged With Killing Father-in-Law Will Come Up in January.

Subpoenas are being issued for the second trial of Mrs. Martha Scott, which will be held at the winter assizes, opening on Jan. 10. So far this is the only case entered for hearing at that court, though there are a couple of criminal cases entered for the sessions preceding this, which will open some time in December. These are the cases of Edward Mara, of McGillivray Township, and William Plinks, of Westminster, charged with incendiarism.

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