

A Riot on Covert Coats!



While they last THIS WEEK, 200 Covert Coats at \$10 and \$12. Manufactured to sell up to \$20.

The Covert has sprung into popularity in New York again this Spring, but all over Canada, there is a big run on Semi-or-Shine's long, loose "Rain-or-Shine."

Yesterday the Hamilton Agency wired us—"Can you ship fifty long coats? Factory cannot supply us quick enough?"

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WILL SEND US SOME YOUNG PEOPLE

Including His Own Son, to Get a First-Class Training—A Distinguished Visitor.

Dr. J. B. Zubiaur, a member of the National Board of Education of Buenos Ayres, Argentine Republic, visited the Toronto Public Schools and the Lillian Massey School of Domestic Art yesterday in company with Mrs. Fenwick Miller and Inspector Hughes. He expressed himself as much gratified at what he had seen, and was particularly impressed with the School of Domestic Science, to which he purposes sending a number of young ladies from the Argentine Republic. He will visit the school again to-day, and will leave this evening for Hamilton, where he will inspect the Normal College. He has arranged to place 15 young men, including his son, at Guelph Agricultural College.

Educational reforms are, he says, being rapidly effected in the Argentine Republic, which is one of the most progressive of the South American countries. The capital, Buenos Ayres, has a population of 4,000,000.

10-EASTER VACATION EXCURSION-10

To Washington, D.C., Via Lehigh Valley Railroad.

Friday, March 28. Tickets only ten dollars from Suspension Bridge to Washington and return. Good for return until April 7. Good for stop-over at Philadelphia on return trip. For further particulars call on or address Robert S. Lewis, passenger agent, 33 Yonge-street, Toronto.

Exceptional Opportunities

To visit all points of the Great West for pleasure, education or business. The Union Pacific has authorized the following excursion rates. Twenty-five dollars from Missouri River points to California, Oregon and Washington points every day during March and April. Phenomenally low rates to the Pacific Coast and intermediate points. Single trip Colonists' tickets open to all during the coming spring and summer.

Special round trip excursion rates will be sold to the Pacific Coast at less than one cent per mile. Choice of routes returning.

People identified with local interests at various points en route will show you every attention. It will be to your advantage to make inquiry in regard to these low rates to the Pacific Coast before deciding on the trip.

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THIRTY IMPROVED TARGETS

Long Branch Ranges to Be Remodelled After Modern Style and Accommodation Increased.

RIFLE CLUBS MAY BE ADMITTED

Surplus for the First Time in Years, and a New Match May Result.

That the Long Branch Rifle Ranges are to be improved and rearranged, under a new lease with the Dominion government, so as to accommodate a great many more riflemen than at present, was an announcement that evoked enthusiastic applause at the thirty-second annual meeting of the Ontario Rifle Association yesterday morning. The announcement was made by Lieut.-Col. Macdonald, who negotiated the renewal of the lease with the Dominion authorities, and who stated that, by the lease, the association assumed control of the ranges for the next five years, one of the conditions being that the government should rearrange them so as to have about 30 additional targets, all to be fitted out after the style of the new Rockcliffe Range at Ottawa. This would cost a handsome sum, and take a little time to complete; and, as a consequence, the range would not be ready for use at as early a date as usual. He stated that Major Weatherbe of Ottawa was here attending to the preliminaries of the work.

E. B. Osler, M.P., in the Chair. E. B. Osler, M.P., president, occupied the chair, and amongst others present were: Col. Otter, C. B.; Lieut.-Col. Bruce, R. G.; White (Guelph), Macdonald, Delamater, R. O.; Grayson, Majors Brock, R. G.; Ellis, Harrison (Guelph), Mercer, O. R.; Cartwright, R. G.; Curran (Hamilton), Mitchell, R. L.; Sergt. Cliffe, O. O.; Staff-Sergts. Bayles, R. G.; Mowat, Graham, McVittie, Simpson, and Lieuts. Harbottle and Payne.

The annual statement of Secretary-Treasurer Harbottle was presented and adopted. A feature of the statement was that it showed a surplus in the receipts for the first time in many years. This was due to the fact that the review cost the O. R. A. in the election of grand stands, \$500.15; they received for the sale of seats, \$20.15, leaving a balance in their favor of \$300.00.

Drake of Cornwall Match. The spring season of the O. R. A. has provided a heavy burden during the winter months. Impure and poisoned blood, eczema, rheumatism, kidney disease, liver trouble, dyspepsia and other ailments have been the result of the long winter months.

An animated discussion arose on the question as to whether rifle clubs should be admitted to the ranges. It was contended by Lieut.-Col. Delamater that they should be admitted, and it was decided to estimate an interest in rifle shooting through the ranges.

On the other hand, Lieut.-Col. White and some others thought that it would interfere with the rural battalions, as men would not recruit at the local points, if given the privileges of the O. R. Association.

It was finally decided to leave the matter to the Dominion government to be settled.

The New Officers

Officers were then elected as follows: President—Mr. E. B. Osler, M.P., Toronto.

Vice-Presidents—First Military District, Lieut.-Col. Bruce, R. G.; Second Military District, Major J. J. Mason, 13th Regiment, Hamilton; Third Military District, Major Macnab, Cobourg; Fourth Military District, Lieut.-Col. P. Sherwood, 43rd Regiment, Ottawa.

Council—Lieut.-Col. J. M. Delamater, Toronto; Lieut.-Col. Bruce, R. G.; Lieut.-Col. Anderson, Ottawa; Lieut.-Col. Macdonald, Toronto; Major G. W. Hayes, London; Major A. Wilson, Seaforth; Lieut.-Col. Edwards, Peterborough; Major S. C. D. Roper, Ottawa; Lieut. A. Pain, Hamilton; Lieut. A. A. Smith, Cornwall; Capt. Holton, Toronto.

Sam Hughes Drops Out

The name of Lieut.-Col. Sam Hughes was omitted from the candidates for vice-presidency at the recent election, when they will discuss the attitude of the government on the prohibition question. At the same time, his services as member of parliament were

GREAT RUSH FOR

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The bright weather of last week brought crowds of ladies to the store. We are already inundated with orders and wish to give those who intend to order a hat for Easter Sunday a word of warning. It looks now as if we would have more than we can attend to in the way of orders, and therefore we suggest that YOU should come early in the week, not later than Wednesday. You'll get better service every way and will not run the risk of disappointment.

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The meeting of the council, held subsequently, Major J. J. Mason, Hamilton, was re-elected chairman. Lieut.-Col. Delamater was chosen to replace Lieut.-Col. Hughes on the executive, and Major Brock to replace Capt. Cartwright on the Finance Committee.

The Executive Committee was directed to prepare the program for the annual matches, and to submit the same to the council for approval, not later than June 1, the matches to start on the Tuesday preceding the D. R. A. meeting.

Luncheon was served the members present in the Institute.

Do Not Carry Your Load of Disease Into the Spring Season.

Paine's Celery Compound

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Will Meet To-Day

The Committee on Temperance and Moral Reform of the Methodist General Conference will meet this afternoon at 2 o'clock in the new rooms, when they will discuss the attitude of the church on the prohibition question. At the same time, his services as member of parliament were

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FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY.

BORN IN DOWNMANVILLE.

Montreal, Que., March 24.—Rev. P. H. Allen, pastor Montreal Annex Methodist Church, died suddenly this morning. He preached twice yesterday, and was in his usual health. Heart disease is supposed to have been the trouble. He was a native of Downmanville, Ont.

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Four Men Killed.

Youngstown, Ohio, March 24.—In a head-on collision between freight trains this morning on the Erie Railroad, four men were killed and three injured. The dead are: Norman Graham, fireman, Newcastle, Pa.; James Thomas, fireman, Ashland, Ohio; brakeman, name not yet known, and Charles Blackburn, target tender on the Erie Road. The train crashed together in a heavy fog, completely wrecking both engines and piling the cars up so that traffic will be suspended for hours. The cause of the worst rail season on record.

St. John's, Nfld., March 24.—The steamer Newfoundland, the first sealing ship to return from the ice floes, arrived in the harbor this morning, with reports which indicate that the season's fishery was the worst on record. She sailed March 10, proceeded up the coast of the island, met with no ice or seals, passed in thru Belle Isle Straits to the Gulf of St. Lawrence and cruised there. The steamer reports meeting the whole fleet March 15, with practically no seals.

Attempted to Lynch Professors.

Vienna, March 24.—The newspapers here report a students' outbreak of a revolutionary character at Ploek, Russian Poland. The students there set fire to the Technical school, and attempted to lynch the professors, who escaped with difficulty. Mounted troops quelled the disturbance.

United Irish League.

Ottawa, March 24.—A branch of the United Irish League was regularly organized here yesterday, with Mr. John Costigan as honorary president, Chevalier John Henry, honorary president. About 150 members have joined.

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DE WINDT'S WANDERINGS.

Heard From While in Far East Siberia—Great Obstacles.

London, March 24.—Letters received here from Harry De Windt, leader of the expedition which is attempting to make its way overland from Paris to New York, and which left the former city Dec. 10, 1901, dated Yakutsk, Siberia, Feb. 16, announced his intention to depart on the following day for Sredne-Kolymsk (in East Siberia, 1000 miles northwest of Yakutsk). De Windt had then already covered 2000 miles of road, thru blinding blizzards and with the thermometer at from 25 to 50 degrees below zero. The officials at Yakutsk strongly urged Mr. De Windt to continue his journey. They said the conditions were worse this year than ever, that the cold was more intense and that epidemics and famine were raging. The traveler, however, determined to proceed. But, unless he reaches Sredne-Kolymsk before May he will probably be obliged to remain there until winter makes sleighing possible.

Died at Kingston.

Kingston, March 24.—Joseph Brown, et. aged 85, died this morning, after a brief illness. He was an Englishman, and had been associated with Ingersoll, Ontario, business interests for over half a century. In 1858 he came to Kingston to reside. His wife survives.

Scout Killed by Buffalo.

Butte, Mont., March 24.—News has been received here of the death of Richard Rock, an old-time and widely known scout and frontiersman, at his ranch near Henry's Lake, on Saturday. Rock was gored to death by a buffalo, which he had raised.

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Were you born weak, or, is it the result of early folly? It makes little difference, there is no excuse for your remaining so. Why? We first cleanse a bullet wound with an antiseptic, or gangrene sets in and the patient dies. Nature requires just that aid. At the very moment you read this, Nature is doing her utmost to cure the nervousness, weak back, drain, impotency, varicocoe, shrinkage of parts or whatsoever symptom you may have. The help she requires is proper habits and a free use of galvanic Electricity. My friend, as sure as you are a living being this is true. My 30 years' practice tells me so. It's the proper current you want. Nothing else, and so certain am I that my world-famed Dr. Sanden

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