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## De Selves Resists Office Over Moroccan Embroglio

Refused to Substantiate the  
Statement of Premier  
Caillaux That Financiers  
Didn't Negotiate Secretly  
—Dramatic Scene in the  
Chamber Followed Ex-  
Premier Clemenceau's  
Challenge.

### PREMIER PERSISTS IN HIS DENIAL.

PARIS, Jan. 9.—(Can. Press.)—The Franco-German Moroccan treaty, which ended the war crisis a few months ago, brought about this evening in a dramatic manner the resignation of the French foreign minister, Justin De Selves. This threatens to be followed by a general parliamentary investigation and a ministerial upheaval.

Charges that financiers of France and Germany were permitted to carry on secret negotiations relative to the Congo and Morocco caused the rupture. Premier Caillaux at a meeting of the senate committee gave his word of honor that there had been no such negotiations, but the foreign minister declined to back the premier, and refused to make a statement either pro or con.

**Brewing Since Treaty.**  
 The present crisis has been brewing ever since the treaty was signed and is due to repeated allegations that the French ambassador, Jules Cambon, did not have a free hand in the negotiations with Germany, and that other negotiations, of which the foreign office and the ambassador were ignorant, were being secretly conducted between the two countries, concerning railroad concessions in the Congo, Kamerun and Morocco.

The storm broke at the meeting of the senate committee, with ex-Premier Clemenceau holding a great advantage. Premier Caillaux denied that there had ever been semi-official negotiations, but the interview at Kissingen. He had, he said, repudiated a contract for railroad concessions alleged to have been made between a Frenchman named Ponders and Dr. Semler, a member of the Reichstag.

**Couldn't Support Premier.**  
 The premier narrated the negotiations relative to the proposed railroads in Morocco, and affirmed that he was happy to give his word of honor that there had been no negotiations except those of which the foreign office and M. Cambon were fully cognizant.

M. Clemenceau arose and looked fixedly at the foreign minister. "Will you confirm the statement of the premier?" he asked.

M. De Selves at first refused to answer, but, pressed by Senator Bourgeois, chairman of the committee, finally said: "I cannot answer the question. I am tied between a double duty—to stick to the truth and tell all, and not to hurt the interests of the country by deserting the cabinet."

**A Warm Altercation.**  
 These words created a sensation, and the committee adjourned in great confusion. Afterwards a second scene was enacted in the ante-room to which Premier Caillaux, Foreign Minister De Selves and ex-Premier Clemenceau withdrew. M. Clemenceau, according to friends of M. de Selves, reproached Premier Caillaux in violent terms for fostering secret negotiations, of which M. Clemenceau said he had been for a long time informed. The foreign minister, for his part, frankly told the premier that he could no longer sit beside him in the cabinet, and therefore resigned.

**Faced Great Difficulties.**  
 M. de Selves sent his letter of resignation to President Fallieres. In it he pointed out that he no longer wished to assume the responsibilities of the foreign portfolio, with a split in the cabinet. He also issued a statement in which he said he was confident that he had served his country well—a task often not easy, for in the last six months he had faced enormous difficulties. He added that he could not publicly protest against the statement of Premier Caillaux. On the other hand, his conscience forbade him to confirm it.

The premier likewise issued a statement in which he insisted that he had told the whole truth. He had always refused, he said, to listen to people who approached him relative to the negotiations, saying that Ambassador Cambon alone had the right to speak for France.

The other cabinet ministers met to-night to discuss the situation, but no action was taken. It is rumored that M. Delcasse, minister of marine, may be appointed head of the foreign office.

### Pouring In From U.S.

WINNIPEG, Jan. 9.—(Can. Press.)—Bruce Walker, commissioner of immigration, today handed out official figures of immigration for the calendar year 1911. These show a total immigration of 351,000 as against 311,084 in 1910. One hundred and thirty thousand persons crossed the border from the United States last year as compared with 121,451 in 1910.

Immigration from Great Britain totaled 175,000, which represents an increase of 27 per cent. from Scotland and 30 per cent. from England over 1910. There was a relative increase from Europe and other foreign countries.

A phenomenal increase in the number of immigrants from the United States was a feature of the last three months of the year.

## Waterways Board At Washington

Numerous Requests for Water Power and Navigation Rights on Both Sides of Border.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—(Can. Press.)—The members of the International Joint Commission which has to do with the adjustment of problems relating to the boundary waters between the United States and Canada, will organize here to-morrow. The Canadian members arrived to-day. It is probable that the chairman of the United States section will act as chairman of the commission when meetings are held in this country, and that the chairman of the Canadian section will act in a similar capacity when meetings are held in the Dominion.

Immediately after organizing to-morrow, the commission will proceed to the White House to pay its respects to President Taft. Similar calls will be made on Ambassador Bryce of Great Britain, and upon Secretary of State Knox. Already a number of propositions affecting water power and navigation are before the Canadian and United States Governments, and many of these probably will be referred to the commission for examination.

Among the questions to come up for discussion will be the proposition to render deep water navigation possible from the mouth of the Richelieu River at Sorel, up that river, thru Lake Champlain and Lake George to Albany and thence to New York, and the Long Sault dam project.

**THEY'RE CALVINISTS, TOO.**  
 KINGSTON, Jan. 3.—(Special.)—The Queen's Journal, in its issue this week hits out at guests who attend dances at the college after they have been imbibing. The statement comes from the science dance committee and requests that in future such guilty parties refrain from applying for invitations. It would be well to remember, says the statement, "that having paid does not give them the right to conduct themselves any way they may deem fit. Students or others who have offended, are asked to cut it out in the future."

**HITS BERLIN RADIALS.**  
 BERLIN, Jan. 9.—(Special.)—A downfall of the beautiful tied up the street car service between here and Bridgeport, and the service to Waterloo is crippled on the radial line to Preston and Galt. A fairly good service has been kept up all day, but to-night it is beginning to feel the effects of the Frost King weather.

A great many visitors are in town to-night to attend the furniture exhibition, and to-morrow being visitors' day, the furniture factories of the Twin City will be the chief centre of attraction.

**Blizzard in Kingston.**  
 KINGSTON, Jan. 9.—(Special.)—Kingston has been the centre of a fierce blizzard for twenty-four hours. The street cars were tied up all day, but an effort is being made to open traffic. The snowfall is not heavy, but drifting caused the trouble. Trains are on fairly good time. The thermometer has been about 10 degrees above zero all day.

**Collision at Listowel.**  
 LISTOWEL, Jan. 9.—(Special.)—During the height of the storm to-day, a passenger train from Palmerston ran into a freight near Listowel Station, the driver being unable to see for any distance in front. Considerable damage was done to the engine, but no one was injured beyond a severe shaking up.

## WAITING FOR THE CAR



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## FREIGHT RATES MAY BE CUT IN WEST

Railway Commission Promises  
Removal of Long-Standing  
Grievance if Thoro Investi-  
gation Shows Complaints  
Justified

OTTAWA, Jan. 9.—(Special.)—One of the most important orders ever issued by the board of railway commissioners was made public to-day, when it was announced that a general enquiry will be undertaken by the board into all freight rates in effect in the Provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, as well as in Ontario, west of, and including, Port Arthur. The order states that, if it is found that the tolls charged by the railways are excessive, the same shall be reduced as the board may determine.

The first sitting of the board in connection with the enquiry will be held in Ottawa on Feb. 13, to consider the procedure upon the enquiry. In the meantime, the board is applying to the minister of justice to appoint counsel to represent the public upon the enquiry.

**Enquiry on in British Columbia.**  
 The enquiry will not extend to British Columbia for the reason that the tolls of the railway companies operating in that province are already the subject of enquiry upon the complaints of the Vancouver Board of Trade and the United Farmers of Alberta.

The order states that many complaints have been made as to the rates charged by the railways, but the board had delayed taking action until the Regina rate case had been settled. The supreme court having ordered in connection with the consideration of this case that the discrimination in favor of points in Manitoba, against points in Saskatchewan and Alberta, must be removed by the reduction of class rates to points in the two provinces further west, the board is now free to undertake a wide investigation as to the whole question of western freight rates.

**BYLAWS CORRUPTLY CARRIED.**  
 ST. BONIFACE, Man., Jan. 9.—(Can. Press.)—According to Ex-Mayor Bertrand, the bylaws authorizing large expenditures on pavements and other public works were actually defeated instead of being passed at the recent municipal elections. He charges that grave irregularities took place in the count of votes, the instigators being parties interested in the contracts.

Judge Prudhomme, who opens an investigation into the civic federation in February, will sift this charge.

## MOTORMAN SAYS SPEED WAS 8 MILES HOUR

Driver of Fatal Car Gives Testimony at Inquest Without Evidence Act Reservation—Answers Innumerable Questions Frankly.

For an hour and a half, Attorney Greer last night at the morgue, tried by coaxing, humoring and half threatening, to get Motorman William John Moore, who was at the throttle of the car which turned over at the corner of King and St. Lawrence-sts. on Christmas eve, to admit that he was travelling at a reckless rate of speed between the Don bridge and the switch around which the car swerved.

Question after question was put to the witness, but despite the great efforts of the crown, he stuck to his statement that the car was travelling at only eight and a half miles an hour, and that he did all in his power to

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## IF IT IS NOT JESUITS' OATH THEN IT'S AS BAD, OR WORSE

—Rev. C. O. Johnston

**Pastor of West Queen Street Methodist Church Makes Reply to Toronto Priests' Statements.**

Rev. C. O. Johnston, pastor of the West Queen-street Methodist Church who started his big congregation last Sunday night by reading an oath, which he said was taken by those entering the Jesuit order, gave The World last night, the accompanying statement replying to the protestations which next day followed from several prominent Toronto Catholics:

"I have read the report of the 'astonishment of the priests.' I have not yet said an unkind word of any Catholic citizen and refuse now to be drawn into any ungentlemanliness.

It is easy to say abusive things, but they are never clever and always un-Christian. I am surprised that the instigator that I gave my congregation on Sabbath night exposed the Roman priesthood in such a poor light. Calling names is childish, ungratified, and brands the caller, not the called. That they should have expressed themselves so freely and vulgarly and yet have said nothing to the point is much more amusing than Rev. L. Minehan's low wit, at which he laughs most himself. I am not seeking to hurt anyone, but I am seeking the truth and will not be

## Homesick Husband Clubbed From Door

Angry Mrs. Wickens Resents Mr. Wickens' Appearance—He's Charged Now With Trespass.

William Wickens, an English laborer, living at 288 Ryd'ng-avenue, was arrested last night on a charge of trespass. Wickens was found loitering around the premises of his wife, Amelia Wickens, at 442 Pacific-avenue, who possesses an order of protection from him. Mrs. Wickens resented her husband's reappearance and went for him with a club, dealing him a severe blow on the head and

inflicting a cut which required six stitches. When the disabled Wickens was taken to the Keel-st. station Mrs. Wickens was arrested later on a warrant from her husband charging her with wounding. The loving couple will be heard from to-day in the police court.

**GUTHRIE TO LEAD LIBERALS?**  
 OTTAWA, Jan. 9.—(Special.)—That what seem to be the inevitable troubles of an opposition leader are to be no stranger to Sir Wilfrid Laurier is apparent in news of the first cabal discussed to-night among incoming members.

A strong movement is said to be on foot to have Sir Wilfrid Laurier step aside and make way for Hugh Guthrie of South Wellington, the only Ontario Liberal of any prominence outside of Hon. Charles Murphy to escape defeat. The fact that Hon. George Granham is not likely to come back even via South Renfrew is an added reason.

**DINEEN FUR SALE.**  
 Muffs and ties, in such furs as mink, Persian lamb, near seal, fox, Alaska seal, Hudson Bay sable, Alaska sable, Russian sable, lynx, etc., are being shown by the Dineen Company at the big January sale. Every garment is reduced in price, and is made from the very best of pelts. Visit the sale to-day.

## "Equitable Life" Burned Loss at Least \$6,000,000 Death Toll Numbers Six

### SOO IS SWEEP BY BLIZZARD

Citizens Dare Not Venture Out of Doors—Can't Find Accident Victim.

SAULT STE. MARIE, Ont., Jan. 9.—(Special.)—The Soo to-night is in the throes of a blizzard and altho the temperature is only 5 below zero, a northwest wind, accompanied by unprecedented snow, has tied up all business, and those who venture on the streets do so at great risk.

It is impossible to see across the street. All trains are tied up and the street car service is at a standstill, the tracks being snowed in immediately after the passage of a snowplow or car. The storm is the worst that has struck the Soo in many years. It is estimated that two feet of snow have fallen since 12 o'clock last night. The storm is gradually growing worse and temperature is falling.

It is reported that a man in the west end strayed from the sidewalk and, wandering on the road, was struck by a rig, which was also lost, and the man killed. Efforts to find the man in the storm failed and the body cannot be discovered until the storm subsides.

Other fatalities are likely to result as a party of men left this morning on foot for the lumber camps on the A. C. R. and unless they reach shelter they cannot outlive the storm.

### FOR CANADIAN LLOYD'S

Hon. Mr. Pelletier Hints Government Would Support Move.

MONTREAL, Jan. 9.—(Can. Press.)—At the annual banquet of the Builders' Exchange to-night, Hon. Mr. Pelletier said in regard to the development of the St. Lawrence waterways:

"I think the time has come for the removal of one of the causes which has kept us in the background. One reason why the St. Lawrence route is not popular with transatlantic ships, is because of the increased rate of insurance, in which respect we are in the hands of Lloyds. Now, I ask of you men, has not the time come to force a Canadian Lloyds. It would be a difficult thing, and there would be some risks, and while I could not make any promise officially, yet as a member of the government, I may venture to say that if in order to remove that difficulty you would put your hands and heads together and form a Canadian Lloyds, then it might be the duty of the government to help such a movement and so have a Canadian Lloyds giving a reasonable rate of insurance for ships on the St. Lawrence route."

### WANT "FLYING POST"

At its inaugural meeting on Monday, the town council of Chesley passed a resolution urging the postmaster-general to withdraw his refusal to have the "Flying Post" continued after May next, declaring that the newspaper service thus provided was necessary to meet the needs of western Ontario.

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## Pioneer Granite Sky-Scraper of New York Destroyed in Fire Abounding in Sensational Fire- Fighting—Securities Worth Hundreds of Millions Probably Safe—Invaluable Library and Records Gone.

### BATTALION CHIEF AMONG VICTIMS

NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—(Can. Press.)—The immense marble and granite home of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, covering a whole block in lower Broadway, an historic landmark of New York's early period of skyscraper buildings, and one of the city's important financial centres, was to-day destroyed by fire, with a loss of six lives and probably \$6,000,000 in property. A dozen persons were injured.

Valuable records, including the biography of E. H. Harriman, and two priceless law libraries, which cannot be replaced, went up in flames, and the fate of hundreds of millions of dollars' worth of securities, stored in safe deposit vaults, was to-night in question, altho it was believed that fireproof construction would save them from damage.

The fire started about 5.30 this morning in a storeroom in the basement of the building. The employees fought it unaided for a time, and before the firemen arrived it had burned its way thru a partition into the elevator shaft. The blaze leaped with a roar to the top of the building and mushroomed into the upper floors, spreading thence rapidly down thru the structure.

Occurring in the heart of the financial district, the fire upset the financial machinery of Wall-street and business was practically suspended thru-out the day.

Reduced to Granite Shell.  
 The great structure, which, besides containing the main offices of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, was the home of the Mercantile Trust Co., the Equitable Trust Co., the Banking House of Kautz Bros., August Belmont & Co., the Harriman Railway Lines, the Mercantile Safe Deposit Co., the Lawyers' Club, and many of the city's most prominent law firms, stands to-night a shell of ice-coated granite, with its once magnificent interior completely gutted.

Besides involving heavy financial loss and serious disturbance to big business interests, the fire, starting on one of the coldest and windiest mornings of the winter, was one of the most spectacular ever witnessed in the far downtown section. Its progress was replete with harrowing incidents, narrow escapes and brave rescues. The men who fought it did so under conditions that taxed both skill and endurance. The intense cold acted almost instantaneously upon the huge volume of water poured on the flames and a thick ice coating was speedily formed on the facades of towering skyscrapers adjacent and upon the surface of streets for blocks around.

The bulkwork of these modern fireproof structures, according to Fire Commissioner Johnson to-night, was invaluable as a protection to the entire financial district. As it was the damage, except by water, was confined to the Equitable structure.

Died at Duty.  
 Of those who lost their lives in the disaster, three men were killed by jumping from a coping of the roof of the structure to which they were driven by the flames. They were employees in the building.

Battalion Chief William J. Walsh disappeared in a whirl of smoke and flame early in the progress of the fire when a cave-in occurred on the third floor where he was fighting the flames. No trace of his body had been found to-night.

Two other men, William Campion, captain of the watchmen in the Mercantile Safe Deposit vaults in the basement of the burned structure, and Frank J. Neider, a special officer, whose bodies have not been recovered, complete the list of dead so far as known.

Several persons, watchmen and others, who were in the doomed structure when the fire broke out at an early hour, have not been positively accounted for but are believed to have escaped. The death toll, however, may not be definitely fixed until the flames, which were still raging to-night, have been extinguished and the ruins cooled.

President Giblin's Escape.  
 The list of injured includes President William J. Giblin of the Mercantile Safe Deposit Company, whose rescue from the basement vaults of the company, where he was imprisoned after

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**HAMILTON HAPPENINGS**

**EXPRESS ROBBERY CASE IS BEFORE JURY TO-DAY**

**Suit for \$25,000 Against Russian Dancers Stands—Reid's Death Investigated by Police.**

HAMILTON, Jan. 9.—(Special.)—The winter session was opened this afternoon by Justice Teetzel. The important cases on the list attracted a crowd which filled the court room, but no progress was made in any of the big cases. The grand jury have only one bill to consider, the charge of theft against Chlman and Acheson in connection with the sensational Canadian Express robbery last September. After hearing some of the evidence in this case, the grand jury adjourned at 5 o'clock this afternoon and will take up the case again to-morrow morning. It will probably be to-morrow afternoon before the grand jury decided whether or not a true bill has been made against the accused.

The most important case reached by the court this afternoon was the \$25,000 damage action of Robert Shiverick against Mikala Mordkin and the Russian Imperial Ballet Company, for injuries received by the plaintiff while a spectator at a performance of Mordkin and Pavlova in the Grand Opera House here a year ago, when the blade of a sword used by Mordkin flew from his hand and struck Shiverick in the head, inflicting a wound which nearly proved fatal, and which it is alleged has permanently injured him. George Lynch-Staunton, on behalf of the defendants, asked that the case be postponed until the March session, on the ground that an amendment to the plaintiff's statement of claim virtually created a new action, which the defendants were not prepared by reason of the fact that they had not had a week to read in Australia. Justice Teetzel thought that the evidence which Reid thought to give, could be obtained from other sources, and set a week from Wednesday as the trial date.

The damage action of Cunningham v. the M. C. Railway, for injuries at Waterloo, received by the plaintiff while in the performance of his duties, on April 30, 1911, was in progress when court adjourned this evening.

Suspicion of foul play in the death of J. T. Reid, which occurred at the City Hospital last night, has been aroused by a statement made by Reid shortly before he expired, that he had been assured while on his way from work last Thursday. When admitted to the hospital Reid was supposed to be suffering from a fever of the throat, which was thought to have caused a lump on the back of his neck.

Just before his death Reid stated that the lump had been caused by a blow which he received when assaulted. He died without giving any further particulars of the assault. When informed of the circumstances, Constable McNeil ordered an inquest into the man's death, which was begun this morning, and which will be continued on Jan. 13. The police are investigating.

**Tenders for Bond.**  
The policy of selling the \$800,000 odd debentures, which the city at present desires to place on the market, to the highest bidder, rather than to have them handled by one financial concern, was adopted by the board of control this morning.

Benjamin Brass, 70 years of age, was found wandering around the yard of his home this afternoon, in the snow and biting cold wind, without any clothing, except a pair of trousers, and was taken to the city hospital, where he is now in a critical condition. His feet and hands are frozen, and it is feared they will have to be amputated. The aged man lived alone in a little house on High-street.

Rev. H. B. Ketchen Moderator, of St. Paul's, returned yesterday from the Hamilton Presbytery for the next six months, at the bi-monthly meeting of the Presbytery in one of the meetings of St. Paul's Church this morning.

Carl Fries, an employe of the Deerpark, who lives at 30 Ruth-street, was struck by a street car at the corner of Barton-street and Birch-avenue late this afternoon, while returning from his day's work. He was severely injured, that he had to be removed to the city hospital. It is feared that his skull is fractured.

**DR. McCULLOUGH BACK.**  
Dr. J. W. S. McCullough, provincial medical health officer, returned yesterday from New York, where he has been investigating the latest methods for water filtration and other matters of sanitation.

**Erving Girl Goes to Mercer.**  
Neither the Salvation Army, into whose care she was given two weeks ago, nor her mother, are able to do anything effective with Marion Gray. At the way of moral reform, wherefore she went from police court yesterday morning to spend four months in the Mercer.

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**BRANCH LIBRARIES SHOULD GET GOVERNMENT GRANT**

**Toronto Board Will Appeal to Legislature—Increase Responsibility of Officers.**

The Toronto Library Board believes the public libraries of the city are not receiving sufficient government aid. At a meeting of the board at the College-street library last night it was decided to appoint a deputation consisting of Messrs. Gash, Huestis and Chief Librarian Locke to wait on the proper committee of the Ontario Legislature, to see if the amount of government aid given the Toronto libraries cannot be increased. Under the present Libraries Act, \$200 is given every municipal library in the province, or \$250 if there is a reading room in connection.

"In this manner," said Member of the Library Board Gash, "any little 'one-horse' library receives only \$50 less from the government than the public libraries of this city. We shall ask that each branch here be given \$250, just as if it were the only library in the city. Whenever we take over a library in an outlying district which is not maintained by the city, the grant to this library then ceases, as the institution becomes only one of our city systems. But it is easy to see how greatly our expenditures are increased in this way."

The same deputation will also wait on the board of control and a committee of the legislature in reference to obtaining a change in the Ontario Libraries Act, which will provide for the vesting of all properties and real estate in the library boards of every municipality in the province. The object of seeking this change is to remove all doubt as to the master of real estate titles.

The board of control will be asked to concur with the proposition before it is put up to the legislature. The John Ross Robertson collection of paintings will soon be opened to the public at the library. The painting of the portrait of John Hallam, founder of the public library system in Toronto, will take place in the near future.

Chief Librarian Locke was not present at the meeting as he is attending the Library Congress at Chicago. The board recommended the following additions to the library: Miss McFadyen, Edith C. Jamison, Alfreda Corey and Florence Lacey. The bill for the purchase of a new building, which was handed over to the library by the city council, will soon be opened as a branch library for the people of East Toronto.

**SIDE LIGHTS ON BUSY CITY LIFE.**  
**A Barnard Boy and His "Quarter"—Bishop and His Cheque.**

On the last Saturday of the old year in Toronto as a city, was preparing to spend a long week-end of reunion and social enjoyment, a rugged boy of fifteen years approached the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives on King-street. As he came nearer he was seen to fumble in his pocket. Opening his hand he held a small, heavy, quarter of a dollar.

"Disappearing as suddenly as he had come, he was heard to say: 'What's your name, my boy?' 'Perceval Thurbow.' 'Where do you live?' 'I belong to the Barnard's Home on Peter-street.' 'Well, you are a good boy, and you are going to be a fine man.'"

Beginning to find prosperity in the land of his adoption, and having known what suffering himself, the boy was moved to share his first earnings with other unfortunate.

To the same office came a brief note from the Bishop of Ontario, Bishop's College, Kingston, sending his gift of \$100.

These are two of the many incidents which show widespread interest in the "Canada's Greatest Charity"—The Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives—which ever has open doors to receive the needy sufferers from the dread "White Plague."

**SPECIAL SALE SQUARE PIANOS.**  
Can Be Bought on Payment of Seventy-five Cents a Week.

An outcome of the large holiday trade done by the old firm of Heintzman & Co. Limited, 138-139-140 Yonge-street, Toronto, is an accumulation of square pianos taken in exchange. These include instruments bearing the names of such firms as Steinway, Chickering, Miller & Sons, Heintzman & Co., and others. The firm intend to make a quick clearing of these instruments and have marked them at from \$50 to \$150, pianos that originally sold at from \$300 to \$700. Every instrument has been thoroughly overhauled by Heintzman & Co.'s own workmen before being offered for sale. They may be bought on payment of 75c a week.

**Means Higher Efficiency Say Militia Officers**  
General Cotton, when spoken to by General Cotton when spoken to by The World re the training order that the Militia Department at Ottawa, said: "The order has been given and it is just a case of obeying it. I don't wish to give my opinion on it, but it is undoubtedly following up the suggestion of General Sir John French of the need of city recruits for more active camp training."

**SCHEUER'S STERLING SILVER**

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**IMPORTING HOUSE IN CANADA SCHEUER'S**

**City Statistics In Comparison**

According to the report of Property Commissioner Harris there was an increase of 36,000 head of live stock handled by the cattle market in 1911 over 1910. The details are as follows:

Cattle	154,099	152,310
Sheep	134,200	148,482
Hogs	128,324	152,394
Calves	29,247	31,243
Total	444,870	483,428
Weigh fees	\$6,530	\$7,300

**Deaths From Drowning.**  
The report shows that there were 23 accidental and three suicidal drowning accidents in 1911, as compared with 23 accidental and six suicidal drownings in 1910.

**Harrison Baths.**  
The patronage of Harrison Baths is decidedly on the increase for the figures show that some 23,000 more people visited the baths in 1911 than in 1910. There were 83,442 people available themselves of the privileges last year.

**Claims Against City.**  
The claims for damages against the city has increased year by year. Last year there were 363. In 1910 there were 310 and in 1890 there were 172.

**Relief Applications.**  
According to the report of City Relief Officer Coyell, the city dealt with 433 applications for relief. Out of 1339 applications to the hospitals 134 were approved. There were 318 persons admitted to the House of Industry and 25 to the House of Providence. Twenty-one adults and 45 infants were buried at the city's expense. Meat and groceries were supplied to 332 persons and fuel to 318. Eighty-eight persons were admitted to the consumptive sanitarium out of 102 applications.

**SMUGGLED OVED THE BORDER.**  
NAGARA FALLS, Ont., Jan. 9.—(Special.)—Joseph English and Harry Rosebush, Russian Jews, were fined \$75 and \$50 respectively to-day for violating the immigration laws. English, who lives in Toronto, was charged with assisting Rosebush to illegally enter Canada.

To-day Charles Black, Royal Humane Society, received a medal, to be presented to Gordon Scott for saving the lives of two children from drowning in the Welland Canal last May. The medal will be presented in a few days.

**A Mother's Cares Destructive to Health**

**ANAEMIA, BAD BLOOD, HEAD-ACHES AND LASSITUDE VERY COMMON.**

Mrs. Wilkinson's Letter Gives Advice That Every Mother Can Well Follow.



From her home in Newton, where she resides with her large family, Mrs. Wilkinson writes: "I was once very pale, anaemic and lacking in vitality. I was a constant sufferer from indigestion and my nervous system was completely broken down. I was unable to do any work, and my health was so poor that I was often obliged to go to bed. I was advised to take Dr. Hamilton's Pills, and after taking a few boxes, I felt a great improvement. My appetite returned, my digestion was restored, and I was able to do my usual work. I am now a healthy and happy mother."

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**The Daily Hint From Paris**

The Toronto Symphony Orchestra will give a concert in Massey Hall this evening with Eva Mylott, soloist.

The Zion Literary Club is holding its annual dance this evening at the Cosmopolitan Club, Beverley-st.

Mrs. Beadmore is giving a tea on Saturday from 4.30 to 7 o'clock.

One of the nicest house dances of the winter was given last night by Dr. and Mrs. Sheard in honor of their sons. The beautiful house on Jarvis-street was aglow with lights and flowers, the entire lower floor being thrown open for dancing and small tables being brought out for supper at midnight. The beautiful hostess looked very well in a French gown of some shimmer, hand embroidered with baroque pearls, and diamond ornaments. Dr. Sheard, Jr., who is a town from New York, was heartily welcomed by his many friends.

Mrs. E. F. B. Johnston is giving a telephone dance at 9 o'clock this evening.

A beautiful tea was given by Mrs. George Miligan and Mrs. Arthur Miligan yesterday afternoon at 85 Colborne-road, when the lovely rooms were a bower of palms, ferns and American beauties, daffodils decking the hall, where an orchestra was in attendance, concealed behind a bank of ferns and flowers. The tea table, a polished one, was almost covered with real lace and centred with a magnificent bouquet of beauty roses, tied with a huge bow of ribbon to match, while the crystal and gold candlesticks were shaded with scarlet and silver beads. Mrs. Miligan looked very distinguished in an imported gown of smoke colored nylon, brocaded with velvet, and some fine diamond ornaments, her beautiful daughter-in-law being in a smart black gown with jet and gold trimming, a touch of deep blue, diamond earrings and other ornaments and bouquet of violets and beauty roses. The assistants were: Mrs. William Dobie, Mrs. William C. Bailey, Mrs. Morley, Mrs. Notman, Miss Marjorie Malcolm, Miss Ethel Stone, Miss Hazel Brown, Miss Madeline Hill, Miss Ethel Simpson, for whom a dining party and box party at the Royal Alexandra were given in the evening. The guests included: Mrs. F. Hodgson, Mrs. G. A. Morrow, Mrs. C. C. Cummings, Mrs. William Leishman, Miss Sutherland, Mrs. Bradshaw Martin, Miss Ralph, Mrs. Thelma White, Miss Helen Strachan, Mrs. James Sinclair, Mrs. J. G. Ramsay, Mrs. Ralph Ramsay, Mrs. J. B. McArthur, Mrs. Thomas Hamilton, Mrs. Norman Hoyt, Mrs. Eastwood and the Misses Eastwood, Mrs. Claude Fox, Mrs. Ambrose Small, Mrs. H. H. McGregor and Miss McGregor, Mrs. Jull, Mrs. T. Connie, Mrs. Albert Macklin, Mrs. H. H. Matthews, Mr. Albert Ogden, Mrs. William Russell, Misses and Inez Perry, Mrs. O. E. Sheppard, Mrs. Dianick, Mrs. George Macdonald.

Miss Hilda Kemp, who is the guest of Mrs. Jack Pippin, returns to Kingston at the end of the week.

Mrs. Brattwalter and her family leave for Montreal to join Mr. Brattwalter on the 10th inst.

The marriage of Miss Nita Hunt to Dr. Douglas Hunter, Victoria, B. C., will take place in London, Ont., on Feb. 20, when Madeline Davies will be one of the attendants.

Mrs. Ernest McConkey, 277 Russell Hill-road, is holding a reception this afternoon, when her sister, Mrs. Richards, Minneapolis, will receive with her.

Miss Pelly is the guest of Lady Allan at "Ravenscrag" for a few days. Mrs. J. K. L. Ross is entertaining at 25 St. Albans-street, on Wednesday, Miss Pelly, and Mrs. Henry Joseph is giving a tea on Thursday.

Mrs. Hayter Reed has returned to Montreal from Quebec.

The Hon. Sam Hughes has been in Quebec and while there at the Front-tenac attended the curlers' banquet, and last night was entertained by the Garrison Club.

A few of those at the large meeting of the Skating Club in the Victoria Rink last night were: Mrs. Strathy, Mr. and Mrs. MacFarland, Mrs. and Miss Burrows, Miss Olga Hill, Mrs. Eva Haney, Miss Betty Caldwell, Mr. Reginald Geary, Miss Grassett, Miss Jessie Johnston, Miss Allison Robertson, Miss Jessie Brown, Major Carpenter, Mr. Clendenen, Mr. Major Adrian Law, Mr. Arthur Kirkpatrick, Mr. Stikeman, Mr. Frank Cochrane, Mr. Leslie Martin, Miss Florence Russell, Miss Madeline O'Brien, Miss Gladys Cotton, Miss Moncrieff, Mr. Gerald Greene, Miss Mead Cross, Miss Florence Smith, Miss Kirkpatrick.

Mrs. Duff Scott gives a small bridge to-day.

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**The Tonic Lens**

Geographers of Canada, and by the kind permission of Archivist Dr. Doughty, he is able to illustrate it with maps. Toronto people should be interested in this paper, and in the writer, as Mr. Bouchette is a grandson of the Capt. Bouchette, who surveyed Toronto bay in 1792, and a great-grandson of Capt. Bouchette, who distinguished himself in the War of 1812, and rowed him down the St. Lawrence from Montreal, passed the French sentries, so that he got into Quebec in time to save it from the invaders.

**Receptions.**  
Mrs. A. E. Belcher (Mrs. Buchanan), to-day, 286 West Bloor-street.  
Mrs. Percy J. Edwards (nee McKinnon), post-nuptial, Thursday and Friday, at Bedford Apartments.  
Mrs. Percy Myles, Thursday, new house, 88 Oriole-road.  
Mrs. Oscar McGaw, Friday, 84 West Roxboro-street.  
Mrs. and Miss Stuart High Park-avenue, Thursday.  
Mrs. Gardner (nee Graham), post-nuptial, to-day, at 1400 College-street.  
Mrs. William Voies, 308 Indian-road, 4 to 6 and 8 to 10 Saturday.  
Mrs. John Eyer, 128 Warren-road.  
Mrs. Earl Gibson, Suite 15, Waldorf Apartments, West King-street, east entrance, Thursday, and afterwards on the first Thursday.  
Mrs. J. H. Wickson, 17 Walker-avenue on Thursday, and not again this season.  
Mrs. James Crawford Watt (formerly Miss Besse Gardner) will receive for the first time since her marriage, on Monday, from 4 until 6.30 o'clock, at her new house, 20 Hawthorne-avenue, Rosedale.  
Mrs. Theodore Bayard Romeyn (Gladys Drenum) will receive for the first time with her mother, Mrs. E. J. Dignum, at Bewsey Lodge, Avenue-road, on Thursday, and afterwards on the second Thursdays in the month during the season, at 51 Poplar Plains-road.  
Mrs. Ponting Kline, Jr., 155 Sprinhurst-avenue, on the third Tuesday in January.

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**WANT NEW RAILROAD**  
Deputation From Algoma Sees Sir James Whitney.

In order to get government aid, if possible, for the building of the Bruce Mines & Algoma Railway, a deputation from Northern Ontario waited on Sir James Whitney yesterday afternoon. The visitors were introduced by A. Grigg, Esq., and among those present were R. R. Gamey, M.L.A., and Robert Shillington, M.L.A. The proposed new railway will run along the north shore of Lake Superior to the Transcontinental for a distance of 350 miles.

Attention was drawn by the deputation to the fact that the preliminary survey for the railway has already been made. The spokesman remarked that the only way to open up New Ontario is to give assistance to the building of colonization railroads.

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**JOHN MCCONNELL DEAD.**  
After an illness of about three years, John McConnell passed away at his residence, 27 Gwynne-avenue, yesterday. Mr. McConnell was born in County Down, Ireland, 76 years ago. He came to Canada as a young man and engaged in farming. For 17 years he was assessor and collector of taxes in Munk Township, Muskoka. Later he kept a general store at Humber Bay, where he lived till three years ago. He is survived by six children: James, Mrs. W. F. Le Bar, Mrs. T. F. Sylvester, Miss Agnes Elizabeth, Walter A., and John W. of Montreal. The interment will take place at Mount Pleasant Cemetery Thursday at 9 p.m.

**TONIGHT'S CONCERT.**  
The Symphony Orchestra will play the program selected by the citizens of Toronto. Miss Eva Mylott, contralto, assisting soloist. Hall doors open at 7.15. Rush seats 25c.

**BARGAINS IN UPRIGHT PIANOS.**  
Called in from rental and taken in exchange when selling their own pianos, the old firm of Heintzman & Co., 138-139-140 Yonge-street, have in stock to-day a large selection of upright pianos of leading English, American and Canadian manufacturers. To make room in their warehouses for the new stock of instruments coming in from the factory, the firm will make an immediate clearing of these pianos. The prices are from one-third to one-half the regular price. Some of these instruments have been slightly used. Any of them will be sold on easy terms of payment.

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After a tremendous selling of Men's Overcoats a summing up of our stock shows many larger sizes, 40 to 46, so we've made great preparations for a rush clearing Thursday morning by reducing them to a fraction of a former value. There are Men's Ulsters in single and double-breasted styles, 50 inches long and with convertible or military collars, a few have raglan shoulders in heavy ulster tweeds, in shades of brown, grey and olive; also a lot of Black Beaver and Melton Overcoats, some with velvet collars. Some of these coats are worth double the price we ask, so come early; sizes 40 to 46 only. Special Sale price ..... 4.50

### Men's Winter Suits Greatly Reduced for Thursday

A Number of Men's Smartly Tailored Single-Breasted Suits in winter weight tweeds and worsteds—snappy and stylish patterns in brown, dark grey, and olive stripe effects, splendidly lined and finished—offered Thursday morning, in sizes 36 to 44, at ..... 5.95

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Double-Breasted Bloomer Suits in dark brown check and stripe patterns. Coats have natural shoulders, double elbows, unbreakable fronts and are lined with fine twill body lining. Trousers are in the bloomer style, are lined throughout; have double seats and straps and buckles at knee; sizes 23 to 33. Semi-Annual Sale price ..... 3.15

### Men's Winter Caps Priced for Early Clearance

And just at the time that zero weather makes the wearing of a cap a necessity—if a body would keep his head and ears warm—comes this great offering of Men's Winter Caps at greatly reduced prices. Stock taking takes place shortly and in order to clear our caps in record time we have subdivided our stock into three divisions. Caps at 39c, caps at 50c, and caps at \$1.00. Each offering extra values in their respective sections.

#### Men's Caps at 39c

These are caps that are good value at nearly double the price and are shown in new golf and Brighton shapes in corduroy and a whole host of patterns in heavy tweeds and every cap is fitted with inside turn-down ear band that is fur lined. Semi-Annual Sale price ..... .39

#### Men's Caps at 50c

This line consists of excellent qualities in meltons, beavers and leather, and an assortment of imported knitted woolen caps, mostly grey, that may be pulled well down, leaving only a small portion of the face visible, a splendid cap for driving, skating, snow-shoeing. Semi-Annual Sale price ..... .50

#### Men's Caps at \$1.00

Nobby and dressy golf and driver shapes in extra quality plain black and blue meltons and beaver cloths as well as an extensive showing of high-class tweeds in many good patterns. All are equipped with inside fur lined band that may be turned down over ears when desirable. See these caps Thursday. Semi-Annual Sale price ..... 1.00 —Main Floor—Queen St.



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### LAYMEN ISSUE CALL TO OBSERVE TIME OF PRAYER

#### Evangelical Churches Join in Sending Broadcast Appeal to Young Men.

A call to the men of Canada, signed by the heads of five of the evangelical churches, and the chairman of the Canadian council of the laymen's movement for missions, was issued yesterday. Copies are being mailed to conveners in one thousand Canadian cities, towns and villages.

The call is as follows: "The deepest missionary need of our time is not any material or external thing. The deepest need is spiritual: a sense of responsibility to Almighty God for the great trust which He has committed to us in the organization of the world and a vitality in the church equal to the task. This supreme need constitutes a challenge to prayer.

It is suggested, therefore, that on the afternoon of Sunday, Jan. 21, 1912, between the hours of 3 and 6 o'clock (to be suited to local conditions), the Christian men of all communions in every city, town, village or country place throughout the Dominion of Canada, be called together for one hour in a service of thanksgiving and intercession; that the time be wholly given up to praise and prayer; that all men be encouraged to participate therein; that churchmen from their pulpits and in every other possible way seek to enlist the interest and attendance of the men of their congregations; that Sunday school superintendents, adult Bible class leaders, brotherhoods and all forms of religious organizations be requested to cooperate in order that throughout the Dominion, from the Atlantic to the Pacific, there may be gathered together a great company of Christian men in a simple service of thanksgiving and intercession.

It is further suggested that where it is not convenient to hold a public meeting, or where for any reason it is not possible to attend such a service, men, individually, or in twos or threes, send one hour that afternoon in prayer and meditation, and enter into fellowship with brethren throughout the Dominion.

Secretary Caskey is also issuing a report on the 11 laymen's missionary conventions of a provincial or semi-provincial character. "One of the entertaining features was the publication, in the west, of a splendid likeness of Rev. Dr. Mackay, labeled John R. Mackay. It was in the same city that one report of the convention was headed "Rugby Notes," and one editorial said the aim of the movement was the "colonization" of the world in this generation.

#### SLIGHTLY USED PLAYER-PIANOS. A Few to Be Sold at Very Unusual Prices.

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### M'TAGGART CHAIRMAN OF INDUSTRIAL COMMITTEE

#### Plans of Technical Schools Need Not Be Changed—Adequate For Twenty-five Years.

W. O. McTaggart had the distinction of presiding yesterday at the first meeting of a committee of the board of education of 1912. He was elected chairman by unanimous vote of the advisory, industrial, education committee.

Principal McKay, who visited several large technical schools in the United States during the past few weeks, was present. He had not seen any reason to make changes in the plan for Toronto which he reported to the committee early in December, as fully reported at that time.

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The building committee of last year was reappointed.

Messrs. Lewis, Fairbairn, Brodin and Ritchie were elected the committee on sites.

Principal McKay stated that the technical auxiliary classes at the Riverdale High School and Humberstone Collegiate were progressing satisfactorily, but the facilities were sufficient to accommodate more pupils than are at present attending. A much larger attendance was expected in the near future.

Satisfaction was expressed at the board of control having yesterday agreed to the grant of \$100,000 for a class in the new McMurrich School buildings.

Congestion in the Hillcrest School has been abolished by the removal of a class to the new McMurrich School. There are 225 scholars in the five classes at McMurrich School.

Steamer Thistlerly a Loss. NORFOLK, Va., Jan. 8.—Practically all hope of floating the British steamship "Thistlerly," ashore at Cape Lookout, N. C., has been abandoned. Of her cargo of 7000 bales of cotton, loaded at Galveston for Liverpool and Cork, 1250 bales thus far have been removed.

### CHURCH VICE-CHAIRMAN OF BOARD OF CONTROL

#### He Wants City Empowered to Take Over Street Railway Through Breach of Contract.

At the organization meeting of the new board of control, held yesterday morning, Controller Church was elected vice-chairman of the 1912 board. Controller Church received the vote of controller Hocken, whose name was also submitted for the position, Controller Foster and his own vote. The mayor and Controller McCarthy voted for Mr. Hocken.

Controller Foster was appointed to represent the board of control on the claims committee, and Controller Hocken will sit on the treasury board.

The board received an account of \$467.30 from Isham Randolph, chairman of the city's expert water commission. The fees of the engineer are \$100 a day, and the account is for services from March 20 to Dec. 29. Mr. Randolph has already received \$1500. The account was held over till it could be ascertained when the experts' final report would be ready.

Controller Hocken suggested that the sewage effluent should be chlorinated. He also advocated the plan of having another intake at Scarborough Heights, which he believed that ultimately there should be a third intake pipe in the west.

asked by the mayor if he had the bill ready, Controller Church replied that he would have it ready next week.

### Battleship's Speed Record.

DEVONPORT, Eng., Jan. 9.—(Can. Press.)—The battleship cruiser Lion accomplished a record speed of over 31 knots during an eight-hour full power trial run in stormy weather, according to an official announcement made to-day.

The German armored cruiser Moltke was hitherto the holder of the speed record, having accomplished 29 knots during her trials.

### Ask to be introduced to POLLY PRIM

Doughty Deputy Minister. OTTAWA, Jan. 9.—It is announced that Dr. A. G. Doughty, C.M.G., now in charge of the Dominion Archives, is to be given the rank of deputy minister and that he will be given more extensive quarters and additional employees to cope with the increasing work.

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Note and Comment

The Torontos have the best chance to land the single-rink curling competition...

Table with columns: Won, Lost, Extra, Total. Lists curling teams and their records.

Three weeks ago with the mercury a long way above the freezing mark...

The voice of the goose-bone prophet is abroad in the land. He has rubbed his intelligent finger over the breast bone...

The "corn-husk" prophet is busy, too. He has examined the thickness of the corn sheaf...

All the nuts that grow in the north are showing the same indications...

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F. BAYLOCK SCORES 22-0 FROM R. RENNIE'S RINK

T. Rennie Defeats A. Young of Lakeview After Extra End—Draw for To-night.

The single-rink competition was curbed down to the eight's last night on keen ice...

At the Granite, Muniz tallied eleven before Dr. Burns started. It was a single on the seventh end, and the sporting parson then pulled up to 9 to 12...

Queen City Curling Club. Queen City Curling Club—R. A. Gray, skip, 22 H. F. Petman, sk. 4 Aberdeen...

CURLING DRAW.

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Men's Coon Coats

Well matched natural Canadian skins, best Italian cloth, quilted linings. Regular \$95.00 to \$75.00. LESS 20 PER CENT.

Hockey Gossip

The first game of the series of the Big Four Commercial League will be played off on Variety Rink on Wednesday night at eight o'clock...

De La Salle junior hockey team defeated St. Marys in a fast game of hockey last night by the score of 5-0.

In one of the most exciting and fastest games that the Senior Boys' Union League has seen played resulted last night between the Crescent and Weston.

The practice hours at Excelsior Rink to-day are as follows: 3.30 to 4.30—Upper Canada. 4.30 to 5.30—St. Andrews. 5.30 to 6.30—Rangers. 7.00 to 8.00—Roscos. 8.00 to 9.00—Eaton's. 9.00 to 10.00—Argonauts.

Clinton won their Junior M. Y. M. A. game from Hope, with a 4-0 score last night. Imperials defeated Clarks, 2 to 1, in the Riverview Manufacturers' League last night.

Central Ontario Curling. BROCKVILLE, Jan. 9.—The following schedule has been drafted for the eastern group of the Central Ontario Curling League...

Don't Want Fight In Nevada State

BRUNSWICKS TOOK TWO FROM THE ROWING CLUB

Proposal to Call Special Session of Legislature to Stop Mill. SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Jan. 8.—Bitter opposition to the proposed Johnson-Flynn fight has developed through Nevada, according to advices...

ROYAL CALEDONIAN SOCIETY. The Caledonian Society held their annual past presidents' night at St. George's Hall last evening...

EASTERN DISTRICT ORANGEMEN. The annual meeting of the Eastern District Royal Orange Lodge was held in Victoria hall last night...

ON DOMINION ALLEYS. The following table shows the results of the Dominion Alleys tournament...

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ON COLLEGE ALLEYS. The following table shows the results of the College Alleys tournament...

SCHOONER WRECKED, CREW ESCAPED. The schooner Virginia is a total loss at Roshead, a rocky promontory between here and the mouth of the Lahave River...

MARKHAM DROWS ROSCOS IN INTERMEDIATE GAME. Final Score 8 to 3—O.H.A. and All the Hockey Scores of a Night.

MARKHAM had an interesting intermediate O.H.A. game from Roscos at the Excelsior Rink last night. Both teams put up a good article of hockey...

Two Junior Games. Newmarket were easy for T. A. C. Juniors at Raskville last night, and the crimson won, 8 to 2.

SIX KILLED IN EXPLOSION. WILKESHAIRE, Pt. Jan. 8.—(Can. Press)—Six men were killed and two probably fatally injured to-night by an explosion of dynamite in the Parish colliery at Plymouth, near here.

CUSTOMS HOUSE REFORM. OTTAWA, Jan. 9.—(Special)—"We want the customs house in Ottawa and other cities run along business lines," said Hon. Dr. Reid to-day...

AFTER HARBOR COMMISSIONERS. MONTREAL, Jan. 9.—(Special)—A further serious attempt is to be made immediately by the Conservancy members of the house of commons outside the cabinet to secure the retirement of the three Montreal harbor commissioners.

PRESENTATION TO SAM BEST. Sam Best of the aerial truck of the Adelaide-street Central Firehall has joined the ranks of the newly married...

League Scores

BRUNSWICKS TOOK TWO FROM THE ROWING CLUB

Dope Upset in City League—All the Bowling Scores of the Night. In the City League last night, Royals won three from Paynes, while Gladstones...

ON ROYAL ALLEYS. Royals—1 3 7 1. Paynes—1 3 7 1. Gladstones—1 3 7 1.

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Mutual Life Insurance Co. of N.Y. DUNLOP Traction Tread. Another Opinion: "Have found Dunlop Traction Treads the most satisfactory tire for non-skidding. Never had to use chains since getting these tires and have driven through all kinds of muddy roads and have never found any trouble with the car skidding." See Your Garage Man.



The Toronto World

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LOSING GRIP OF YONGE-STREET.

A very serious situation confronts the city in the pronouncement of Mayor Brown's policy to make an agreement between the York Radial Railway and North Toronto for the double-tracking of Yonge-street.

VERY LIKE A WHALE.

The Globe is growing more and more careless about facts. There may be something preying on its mind and distracting its attention.

OF ONE BLOOD.

Some people allow themselves to fall into, and others are trained to, the habit of regarding all foreigners as inferior.

HOW CANADA STANDS.

Among the regular and notable events of each successive year is the address of the president of the Canadian Bank of Commerce at the annual general meeting of the shareholders of that institution.

CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE.

Elsewhere in this issue will be found the report of the proceedings at the forty-fifth annual meeting of the shareholders of the Canadian Bank of Commerce.

THE STERLING BANK OF CANADA

THE SAVING HABIT is not only valuable in that your funds are accumulating against need, but that it accustoms you to the general affairs of life.

Italy's War A World Cause

Italy has found a champion and defender in the person of William Randolph Hearst, the owner of a string of newspapers extending from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

Judge's Chambers.

Before Middleton, J. Before Dufferin Light and Power Co. Re Dufferin Light and Power Co. White, for the company. Motion by creditor for a winding up order.

BRITISH COLUMBIA CORONATION YEAR BOOK.

Unavoidably delayed for reasons which its excellence and attractiveness sufficiently explain, the government of British Columbia has issued, from the office of the provincial secretary, the Hon. H. E. Young, a Canadian edition of the Year Book.

At Osgoode Hall

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

No motions have been set down for single court for Wednesday, 10th inst. Peremptory list for divisional court for Wednesday, 10th inst., at 10 a.m.

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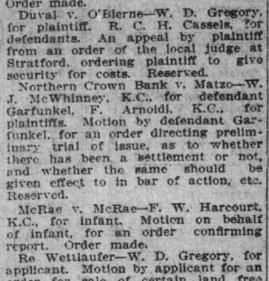
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A LEAP YEAR PROPOSAL.

Editor World: Reading in your paper of the interest you are taking in the coming "Leap Year" babies, will you kindly go a step further and get "The World" (and all therein) interested in the marriage question.

STRENGTH THE GLORY OF MAN



Every day we have evidence that the weakling has no place in the busy, humdrum life of to-day. It takes nerve and strength to go up against the obstacles and this the weakling lacks.

Dr. McLaughlin's Electric Belt every night as I direct, and in place of a weak-nerved, debilitated being I will show you a strong man—full of vigor and life, with nerves like steel, and ready to look any man in the face and feel that he is equal to the best of them.

FREE BOOK

Write me to-day for my beautifully illustrated book, with cuts showing how my Belt is applied, and lots of good reading for men who want to be "The Noblest Work of God." A MAN. Enclose this coupon and I will send this book, sealed, free.

O'Keefe Gold Label Ale advertisement. Features a bottle of beer and text: "Gold Label" is just the kind of Ale that you would expect. The O'Keefe Brewery to brew—a rich, creamy, delicious and nutritious.

Michie's Teas advertisement. Text: "Michie's Teas are Regular in their Superior Quality and Flavor. The tea you like is somewhere in our store, and at your price."

Michie & Co., Limited advertisement. Text: "7 King Street West Telephone Main 7591. Our way of cleaning Kid Gloves retains all the softness and finish."

Dr. McLaughlin's Electric Belt advertisement. Text: "I can make just such men of weaklings. I care not how long they have been so, nor what has fastened to cure them. Let them wear my Dr. McLaughlin's Electric Belt."

Dr. McLaughlin's Electric Belt advertisement. Text: "Dr. McLaughlin, 237 Yonge Street, Toronto, Can. Office Hours: 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Wednesday and Saturday until 8.30 p.m. Write plainly."

ESTABLISHED 1854. JOHN GATTO & SON January Sale

THE WEATHER OBSERVATORY, TORONTO, Jan. 9. (5 p.m.)—The severe storm which was felt night over the lake region is now centered near the Gulf of St. Lawrence.

THE BAROMETER. Time. Ther. Bar. Wind. 8 a.m. 33.7 30.0 0 W.

STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS. Jan. 9. At From. Campanella, Halifax, Rotterdam.

TO-DAY IN TORONTO. January 10. Royal Alexandra Theatre—"The Blue Bird," 8.15.

F. W. MATTHEWS FUNERAL DIRECTOR 235 SPADINA AVE.

DEATHS. BROWN—At Singapore, Straits Settlements, on Jan. 5, 1912, of cerebral hemorrhage, Alfred Arnold, aged 56 years, dear and beloved only son of Mrs. A. A. Arnold.

BATES BURIAL CO. 125 AVENUE ROAD. J. W. BATES Late of Bates & Dods.

IF IT IS NOT JESUIT'S BATH, IT IS AS BAD. Continued From Page 1.

Trains Delayed Half Day Fighting Fierce Blizzards

Incoming Passengers Held up Hours by Huge Snowdrifts Piled High by Wind—Every Train Was Long Behind its Schedule Time.

Continued From Page 1. A strange, lonely look and then picked up their grips and marched thru the barrier to the trains, as if they were martyrs going to suffer for a just cause.

Continued From Page 1. In spite of the fact that the Toronto street cars are doing very well, as far as Toronto street cars go, of course the usual number are expected to be run, but the citizens appear to be getting somewhat chafed over the idea that the street cars are to be run on a special schedule.

LONDON CONTRACTOR SUES TORONTO MAN FOR \$50,000

Justice Kelly's First Case Involves Big Sum—Breach of Contract Claimed.

Mr. Justice Kelly presided in the non-jury assize court at the city hall yesterday for the first time since his appointment to the bench.

The case was that of James Grice, a contractor of London, Eng., against B. Bartram, a Toronto contractor, for the recovery of \$50,000 in connection with a contract with the General Construction and Dredging Co., Limited.

Mr. Bartram had agreed to construct a pier for the recovery of \$50,000 in connection with a contract with the General Construction and Dredging Co., Limited.

Mr. Bartram had entered a counter claim in which he asks that the sale be set aside, claiming it is not a bona fide transaction. The case is proceeding.

Fire Swept Experimental Farm. REGINA, Sask., Jan. 9.—The large barns and other buildings at the Experimental Farm at Indianhead were entirely destroyed by fire this morning, the loss being estimated at \$20,000.

Blood is Like Water. When Lips Are Pale and the Gums Lose Their Color.

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. If you find yourself easily tired, lacking in vigor and energy, unable to properly digest the food you eat and generally out of sorts, look in the mirror and carefully examine the lips, gums and eyelids.

Continued From Page 1. The peaceful beauty of the spot makes it hard to believe that a Yonge Street car places the heart of the city about thirty minutes away.

Adams Annual Sale of Office Furniture

To-day we are Selling Quarter-Cut Oak Flat Top Desks at \$20.75 Regularly Priced at \$25.00

Quarter-Cut Oak Roll Top Desks at \$24.75 Regularly Priced at \$30.75

Solid Quartered Oak Revolving Tilters at \$7.95 Regularly Priced at \$10.00

And a lot of Other Office Needs at Little Prices—Come and See.



How Many Could Be Made Happy. Editor World: I heard a remark at the Royal Alexandra Theatre last night that set me thinking.

YOU CAN'T GET BY THIS. An exclusive residential section in the north end. The peaceful beauty of the spot makes it hard to believe that a Yonge Street car places the heart of the city about thirty minutes away.

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ADRIANIC PACIFIC NIPEG VANCOUVER CHICAGO FLORIDA

64 CARS AT CITY YARDS STEADY CATTLE MARKET Packers and Drivers Wide Apart—Both Sides Say They Are Going to Win.

The railways reported 64 car loads of live stock at the city market, comprising 530 cattle, 720 sheep, 432 sheep and lambs, 31 calves and 1 horse.

ROLLER TOWEL MUST GO NEVER AGAIN TO RETURN M. H. O. Will Ask That Law Be Passed Demanding Individual Towels in Public Places.

"Down with the roller towel." This will soon be the battle cry of M. H. O. Hastings, who, in the near future, he stated yesterday, recommends the board of health to take steps to secure an ordinance for the abolition of the dangerous common towel from all public places in Toronto.

Invest in Athabasca Landing—The Great Distributing Centre of the Rich Northland

At last the great Northland is going to come into its own. The steel rails now meet its 4,000 miles of waterways at Athabasca Landing. An outlet is now open for the vast riches of the mine, the forest, the stream and the land.

Butchers. Choice butchers sold at \$2.50 to \$3.50, and one extra at \$3.50 to \$4.50; medium to good, \$2.50 to \$3.50; medium to poor, \$2.00 to \$2.50; cows, \$2.00 to \$2.50.

Milkers and Springers. Milkers and springers sold from \$40 to \$50 each.

Representative Sales. Wilson sold: 12 butchers, 50 lbs., at \$3.50; 4 butchers, 100 lbs., at \$3.50; 2 butchers, 200 lbs., at \$3.50.

Receipts of live stock at the Union Yards were 32 carloads—144 cattle, 239 hogs, 75 sheep, 3 calves. The 144 cattle, with 570 left over from Monday, made a total of 617 cattle on sale.

Market Notes. In the World's article of yesterday's cattle market inspection it stated that out of the eighty carloads of cattle on sale, not more than forty carloads sold under the new conditions, which was a mistake.

RICHESON TO ELECTRIC CHAIR Will Go to Death in May Unless Clemency Is Shown.

BOSTON, Jan. 9.—A plea of guilty of murder in the first degree was made by Rev. Clarence V. T. Richeson in the superior court to-day and he was sentenced by Judge Sanderson to death by electrocution some time during the week of May 13, 1912.

Notice is hereby given that the above named individual has made an assignment to me for the general benefit of creditors under the provisions of R.S.O. 1187, Chapter 147, and Amendment.

Remember that the Grand Trunk Railway System is the only double-track route, and four times a day to Montreal daily, 7:15 a.m., 9 a.m., 8:30 p.m. and 10:30 p.m.

Arthur Bradley got out of the Central Prison by easy stages yesterday. He was released but was immediately arrested at the request of the Hamilton authorities who held a charge of theft of a bicycle against him.

French Consul for Montreal. PARIS, Jan. 9.—Among the diplomatic appointments gazetted to-day is that of Charles Jules Joseph Bonin, who has been nominated charge of the French consulate-general at Montreal.

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ESTATE NOTICES. IN THE MATTER OF LEWIS E. GORRIE, of the City of Toronto, in the County of York, Testator.

ASSIGNEE SALE OF AUTOMOBILES. SEALED TENDERS (marked tender) will be received by the undersigned till 12 o'clock noon on the 26th day of January for the purchase of one Darracq 3 H. P., 7-passenger 4-cylinder touring car, equipped with top, windshield, Gabriel horns, etc.

KINGSTON TEACHERS' WIN. KINGSTON, Jan. 9.—(Special).—The storm of protests from public school teachers for increases in salary has brought good results. The management committee will recommend substantial increases for them.

UNION STOCK YARDS OF TORONTO, LIMITED THE LEADING STOCK YARDS OF CANADA FOR THE SALE OF Cattle, Sheep, Lambs Hogs and Horses

PROPERTIES FOR SALE. LOT of 150 acres, Township of Stock, Ontario, farming land near Fort Erie, cheap for cash. Box 2, World, 613 Bay Street, Toronto.

PROPERTIES WANTED. I WANT acreage in or near Toronto, suitable for subdividing. Full particulars must be given. Apply Box 3, World.

BUSINESS CHANCES. CITY STORAGE, LIMITED, Toronto, for sale: ten shares of preferred, with ten shares of common stock. Address: Box 23, 32 Liberty Street, New York. ed7

LEGAL CAUSES. BAIRD, MONAHAN & MACKENZIE, Barristers and Solicitors, 2, Louis Monahan, Kenneth F. Mackenzie, 2 Toronto Street, Toronto.

Local Improvements. NOTICE is hereby given that the Court of Revision for the City of Toronto will meet at the City Hall on Tuesday, the 23rd day of January, 1912, at the hour of 2:30 o'clock p.m.

WAREHOUSE TO RENT. To lease for term of years, near King Edward Hotel, four floors, 9,200 sq. feet. Immediate possession. ENGLISH, LIMITED, 50 Victoria.

HOUSE MOVING. HOUSE MOVING and Raising done, J. Nelson, 106 Jarvis-street, ed7

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# Mining Stocks Show Steady Advance—Hollinger a Weak Spot

## Big Increase in World's Visible Deposits Depresses the Wheat Market

### Prices Run on Downward Track Again at Chicago—General News Is Bearish—Corn and Oats Show Ease.

CHICAGO, Jan. 9.—An unexpected increase in the world's visible supply caused a breakdown today in the price of wheat. The close was 3/4 to 1/2 cent under last night. Corn finished unchanged to 1/4 cent down, oats off 1/4 to 1/2 cent, and hog products less costly by a shade to 1/2 cent.

It availed nothing to the bulls in wheat that the enlargement of the total for the world's stock was due to a correction of Canadian counts which had not been kept up to date. Before the explanation was forthcoming, the mischief to prices had been done and there was not sufficient buying forces afterwards, to bring about a reaction. The principal source of the seeming increase of the world's supply was the addition of Canadian wheat stocks at Buffalo and Duluth. During the session May ranged from \$1 to \$1.01 1/2, closing at \$1.00 1/2, a decline of 1/2 cent.

Corn held firm. Corn displayed steadiness. May fluctuated between 64 1/2 to 64 3/4 and 64 1/2 with the close at 64 1/2, just the same as last night. Cash grades were easy. Selling pressure on oats was considerable in the aggregate. Accordingly, a heavy feeling developed. May ranged between 49 1/2 and 49 3/4, finishing 1/2 to 3/4 cent down. Influenced by the decline at the yards and by selling on the part of western packers, the market for hog products sagged to a material extent. When the last long sound, pork had fallen 1/2 to 1/4 cent, and the rest of the list a shade to 1/4 cent.

Receipts of wheat in cars at primary centres were as follows:

City	To-day	Week	Year
Chicago	18	15	21
Duluth	17	15	21
Minneapolis	17	15	21
Winnipeg	361	968	62

European Markets. The Liverpool wheat market closed today on wheat 1/4 to 1/2 higher than yesterday and 1/2 to 3/4 lower. Buenos Ayres wheat was 1/2 higher. Paris wheat closed 1/4 to 1/2 higher. Antwerp, 1/2 to 3/4 higher. Berlin 1/2 lower, and Buda Pest 1/4 lower.

Winnipeg Inspection. Winnipeg wheat crops to-day graded as follows: No. 1 northern, 2 cars; No. 2 northern, 56; No. 3 northern, 74; No. 4 northern, 71; No. 5 northern, 40; northern, 46; feed, 28; rejected, 10; grade, 46; winter wheat, 18; oats, 65; barley, 16; and flax, 19.

World's Visible Supplies. Bradstreet's estimates show that during the week ending Jan. 6, the world's visible supplies increased 1,935,000 bushels; corn increased 363,000 bushels, and oats increased 393,000 bushels.

European Visible. The visible supply of wheat in Europe this week is 2,700,000 bushels, against 2,828,000 bushels last week. An increase of 2,572,000 bushels, against a decrease the week before. The visible supply of wheat in Europe this year there was an increase of 4,000,000 bushels, when the total was 110,400,000 bushels.

Primaries. To-day, Wk. ago, Yr. ago.

Receipts	871,000	171,000	282,000
Shipments	191,000	128,000	375,000
Receipts	964,000	1,040,000	671,000
Shipments	422,000	612,000	724,000
Receipts	234,000	...	...
Shipments	254,000	...	...

FOREIGN CROP SUMMARY. Wet Weather Thruout Europe Unfavorable for Crops.

Broomhall's weekly summary of foreign crop conditions is as follows:

United Kingdom: The weather is wet and this is preventing the finishing of late sowing.

France: The wet weather is unfavorable for the proper development of the crop and fears of damage are expressed. Offerings are small and the market firm. Germany: Outlook generally favorable, but dry and weather is wanted; offerings are light.

Hungary and Italy: Outlook generally favorable, but weather is unseasonably mild.

Bulgaria and Roumania: Outlook favorable; supplies of wheat are wanted; corn are good; the weather is mild.

Russia: There are no complaints from the south; arrivals of wheat are small and corn large. The weather is unseasonably mild in the interior there is plenty of snow.

Argentina: There is no improvement in the crop outlook. Good authorities estimate the exportable surplus at 52,000,000 bushels. The quality of wheat is poor.

Australia: Estimates regarding the wheat crop are being fully maintained.

India: Our agent cables that rain is needed in the interior to the extent of 100,000 bushels. The quality of wheat is poor.

ST. LAWRENCE MARKET. Receipts of farm produce were 14 loads of hay, but no grain.

Market Notes. Joshua English bought 40 live lambs at \$7; 50 dressed hogs at \$9 to \$9.50.

Grain. Wheat, fall, bushel, \$1.02 to \$1.03. Rye, bushel, 70 to 75. Oats, bushel, 45 to 50. Barley, bushel, 65 to 70. Corn, bushel, 45 to 50. Peas, bushel, 1.00 to 1.12. Buckwheat, bushel, 1.00 to 1.02.

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### CHICAGO GOSSIP

#### Wheat Market Readily Vulnerable to Selling Pressure.

Wheat: The market opened strong, at an advance, but the strength was not lived, prices breaking 1/4 cent from the man point of the selling general, and on the decline in the way of stop of loss orders. Commission houses furnished the buying power around the low point. Outside markets were not as weak as our. Kansas City and Winnipeg were relatively much firmer. With a good demand for export reported from the latter point, today's break in prices, in the face of the strong news from the Argentine and the general temper of local professional sentiment, to us, however, by no means, seems to be a weak one, and while buying power is not as strong as it was, it is not as weak as it was. The situation is, however, by no means, seems to be a weak one, and while buying power is not as strong as it was, it is not as weak as it was.

Chicago Markets. J. P. Eckstein, 120 York Bldg., reports the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade:

Wheat	Open	High	Low	Close
No. 1	101 1/2	101 1/2	100 1/2	101
No. 2	96 3/4	96 3/4	94 1/2	95 3/4
No. 3	90 1/2	90 1/2	88 1/2	89 1/2
No. 4	84 1/2	84 1/2	82 1/2	83 1/2
No. 5	78 1/2	78 1/2	76 1/2	77 1/2
No. 6	72 1/2	72 1/2	70 1/2	71 1/2
No. 7	66 1/2	66 1/2	64 1/2	65 1/2
No. 8	60 1/2	60 1/2	58 1/2	59 1/2
No. 9	54 1/2	54 1/2	52 1/2	53 1/2
No. 10	48 1/2	48 1/2	46 1/2	47 1/2
No. 11	42 1/2	42 1/2	40 1/2	41 1/2
No. 12	36 1/2	36 1/2	34 1/2	35 1/2
No. 13	30 1/2	30 1/2	28 1/2	29 1/2
No. 14	24 1/2	24 1/2	22 1/2	23 1/2
No. 15	18 1/2	18 1/2	16 1/2	17 1/2
No. 16	12 1/2	12 1/2	10 1/2	11 1/2
No. 17	6 1/2	6 1/2	4 1/2	5 1/2
No. 18	0 1/2	0 1/2	0 1/2	0 1/2

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# N.Y. Market Proves Vulnerable to Pressure--C.P.R. off 3 Points

## Big Fire in Wall St. District Depresses the Stock Market

**Two Sharp Bear Raids on Prices Successfully Carried On—Speculation in Comatose Condition Throughout.**

**NEW YORK, Jan. 9.**—Two short, sharp bear raids depressed stocks today. At the opening and again just before the close the market was attacked savagely. Both times prices gave way quickly, and on the slump in the afternoon Union Pacific sank more than four points below the previous day's close. Reading and Canadian Pacific also developed acute weakness, losing three points. Many of the other important stocks, including Lehigh Valley, Southern Pacific, United States Steel, American Smelting and Refining, and Canadian Copper fell back one to two points.

**Fire Aided Bears.**  
Except for these two movements the stock market was a dull affair. After the outburst of activity at the opening it subsided into a comatose condition, from which it was not aroused until the heavy selling was resumed promptly before the close. In its dull condition the market was no match in point of interest for the fire, which burned all day long in the Equitable building, a few blocks from the stock exchange. The fire, of substantial assistance to the bears.

Reports cabled to London early in the day caused some alarm among holders of American securities and prices were depressed. Traders took their cue from London when the market opened, and sold stocks. The decline was hastened by selling orders from interior points and from London.

**Couldn't Deliver Stocks.**  
Traders whose securities were in safe deposit vaults which were inaccessible on account of the fire, saw no way of making deliveries of stocks, which added to the confusion. After the stock exchange governors ruled that deliveries need not be made to any one of the market, the situation was clarified.

**Downward Trend to Montreal Market**  
The Montreal market showed a downward trend today. The market was dull and prices were generally lower than yesterday. The Canadian Pacific and other important stocks were among the losers.

**Another U.S. Road To Tap Canada**  
The Minneapolis and St. Louis Railroad will extend its lines to Canadian borders. The extension is expected to be completed within a few months.

**C.P.R. Leads Decline in London Market**  
The Canadian Pacific Railway led the decline in the London market today. The stock fell several points, and other Canadian stocks followed suit.

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### THE STOCK MARKETS

TORONTO STOCKS		NEW YORK STOCKS	
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	Jan. 9	Jan. 8
Am. Asbestos com. ....	100	Am. Asbestos com. ....	100
Black Lake com. ....	100	Black Lake com. ....	100
Can. Pac. com. ....	100	Can. Pac. com. ....	100
Can. Loc. com. ....	100	Can. Loc. com. ....	100
Can. Steel com. ....	100	Can. Steel com. ....	100
Can. Copper com. ....	100	Can. Copper com. ....	100
Can. Iron com. ....	100	Can. Iron com. ....	100
Can. Zinc com. ....	100	Can. Zinc com. ....	100
Can. Lead com. ....	100	Can. Lead com. ....	100
Can. Silver com. ....	100	Can. Silver com. ....	100
Can. Gold com. ....	100	Can. Gold com. ....	100
Can. Platinum com. ....	100	Can. Platinum com. ....	100
Can. Nickel com. ....	100	Can. Nickel com. ....	100
Can. Cobalt com. ....	100	Can. Cobalt com. ....	100
Can. Uranium com. ....	100	Can. Uranium com. ....	100
Can. Vanadium com. ....	100	Can. Vanadium com. ....	100
Can. Manganese com. ....	100	Can. Manganese com. ....	100
Can. Iron Ore com. ....	100	Can. Iron Ore com. ....	100
Can. Coal com. ....	100	Can. Coal com. ....	100
Can. Lumber com. ....	100	Can. Lumber com. ....	100
Can. Paper com. ....	100	Can. Paper com. ....	100
Can. Textile com. ....	100	Can. Textile com. ....	100
Can. Food com. ....	100	Can. Food com. ....	100
Can. Chemical com. ....	100	Can. Chemical com. ....	100
Can. Pharmaceutical com. ....	100	Can. Pharmaceutical com. ....	100
Can. Machinery com. ....	100	Can. Machinery com. ....	100
Can. Electrical com. ....	100	Can. Electrical com. ....	100
Can. Printing com. ....	100	Can. Printing com. ....	100
Can. Publishing com. ....	100	Can. Publishing com. ....	100
Can. Retail com. ....	100	Can. Retail com. ....	100
Can. Wholesale com. ....	100	Can. Wholesale com. ....	100
Can. Transportation com. ....	100	Can. Transportation com. ....	100
Can. Utilities com. ....	100	Can. Utilities com. ....	100
Can. Real Estate com. ....	100	Can. Real Estate com. ....	100
Can. Insurance com. ....	100	Can. Insurance com. ....	100
Can. Banking com. ....	100	Can. Banking com. ....	100
Can. Finance com. ....	100	Can. Finance com. ....	100
Can. Services com. ....	100	Can. Services com. ....	100
Can. Miscellaneous com. ....	100	Can. Miscellaneous com. ....	100

**APATHETIC TRADING IN TORONTO MARKET**  
Sao Paulo the Only Weak Spot of Any Moment—General List Merely Holds Steady.

**World Office.**  
Tuesday Evening, Jan. 9.  
The South American traction issues and Wampag Electric provided the only interesting spots in the Toronto stock exchange today, the remainder of the speculative list doing nothing more than holding its own under a decidedly apathetic trading movement.

**Tracton Issues Easier.**  
Both Rio and Sao Paulo demonstrated weak undertone, but this was much more pronounced in relation to Sao Paulo than the former security. The dealings in both instances were of small volume, but there was a decided falling off in the demand for Sao Paulo, and in consequence the price sagged whenever offerings put in an appearance. The quotation dropped a full point during the day, the low figure being 187, and the close at 185 1/2 bid.

**General List Firm.**  
The only other securities to come in for any special attention were the Russels and the Mackays. The former held up its ready day without any difficulty, and closed about a par with last night. Mackay common opened half a point lower at 77, but regained all its loss and a quarter point additional at 77 1/2 during the afternoon session, closing off there, with no bids in evidence.

**ON WALL-STREET.**  
Erickson Perkins & Co. (J. G. Beatty) wired: Stocks sold off sharply in the last hour and closed near bottom. The brief rally at midday was spirited and we want to take any more than they had. The drying out of the Equitable fire, with prospect that it would be quiet before morning did not help sentiment. Neither did the very favorable copper report, showing a decrease of 22,000,000 pounds in stocks on hand. The fact is the market had gone strait and public absorption of stocks for some days has been on a small scale. Until prices look attractive we do not look to see much further absorption.

**FOREIGN EXCHANGE.**  
Bank of England discount rate, 4 per cent. Open market discount rate in London for short bills, 3 1/2 per cent. New York call money, highest 2 1/2 per cent. Lowest 2 1/4 per cent. Selling rate 2 1/2 per cent. Call money at Toronto, 2 1/2 per cent.

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World's Total Production Was Also Larger—Comment on Silver Conditions.

In their annual review of silver conditions Messrs. Moon and Goldsmith of London, Eng., say: "The output of the chief silver producing countries, America, Mexico and Canada, all show a small increase as compared with last year, and it may therefore be inferred that there has again been some increase in the production of the world. While the total tonnage of ore shipped from the Cobalt district shows some decrease as compared with last year, the silver production of the camp is larger and more being now turned out in the shape of bullion, thus effecting a considerable saving in freight and smelting charges. Looking to the future the market does not offer an attractive field for prospectors, the prospects in China being such a very uncertain quantity. It seems to be generally admitted that the ultimate effect of the present political disturbances will be of a more enlightened and progressive policy, which should lead to increased production and with the opening up of the country by the railways, a larger demand for silver. But before these conditions are attained, temporary developments are quite as likely to prove unfavorable to the market."

### Cotton Markets

Erickson Perkins & Co. (J. G. Beatty) 14 West King Street, report the following prices on the New York cotton market:

Jan. 9	Jan. 8	Open	High	Low	Close
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	8.35	8.37	8.25	8.31
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	8.31	8.33	8.22	8.29
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	8.29	8.31	8.20	8.27
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	8.27	8.29	8.18	8.25
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	8.25	8.27	8.16	8.23
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Jan. 9	Jan. 8	8.21	8.23	8.12	8.19
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	8.19	8.21	8.10	8.17
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	8.17	8.19	8.08	8.15
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	8.15	8.17	8.06	8.13
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Jan. 9	Jan. 8	8.07	8.09	7.98	8.05
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	8.05	8.07	7.96	8.03
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	8.03	8.05	7.94	8.01
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	8.01	8.03	7.92	7.99
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.99	8.01	7.90	7.97
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.97	7.99	7.90	7.97
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.95	7.97	7.88	7.95
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.93	7.95	7.86	7.93
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.91	7.93	7.84	7.91
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.89	7.91	7.82	7.89
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.87	7.89	7.80	7.87
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.85	7.87	7.78	7.85
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.83	7.85	7.76	7.83
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.81	7.83	7.74	7.81
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.79	7.81	7.72	7.79
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.77	7.79	7.70	7.77
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.75	7.77	7.68	7.75
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.73	7.75	7.66	7.73
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.71	7.73	7.64	7.71
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.69	7.71	7.62	7.69
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.67	7.69	7.60	7.67
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.65	7.67	7.58	7.65
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.63	7.65	7.56	7.63
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.61	7.63	7.54	7.61
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.59	7.61	7.52	7.59
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.57	7.59	7.50	7.57
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.55	7.57	7.48	7.55
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.53	7.55	7.46	7.53
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.51	7.53	7.44	7.51
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.49	7.51	7.42	7.49
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.47	7.49	7.40	7.47
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.45	7.47	7.38	7.45
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.43	7.45	7.36	7.43
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.41	7.43	7.34	7.41
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.39	7.41	7.32	7.39
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.37	7.39	7.30	7.37
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.35	7.37	7.28	7.35
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.33	7.35	7.26	7.33
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.31	7.33	7.24	7.31
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.29	7.31	7.22	7.29
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.27	7.29	7.20	7.27
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.25	7.27	7.18	7.25
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.23	7.25	7.16	7.23
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.21	7.23	7.14	7.21
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.19	7.21	7.12	7.19
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.17	7.19	7.10	7.17
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.15	7.17	7.08	7.15
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.13	7.15	7.06	7.13
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.11	7.13	7.04	7.11
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.09	7.11	7.02	7.09
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.07	7.09	7.00	7.07
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.05	7.07	6.98	7.05
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.03	7.05	6.96	7.03
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	7.01	7.03	6.94	7.01
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	6.99	7.01	6.92	6.99
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	6.97	6.99	6.90	6.97
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	6.95	6.97	6.88	6.95
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	6.93	6.95	6.86	6.93
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	6.91	6.93	6.84	6.91
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	6.89	6.91	6.82	6.89
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	6.87	6.89	6.80	6.87
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	6.85	6.87	6.80	6.85
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	6.83	6.85	6.78	6.83
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	6.81	6.83	6.76	6.81
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	6.79	6.81	6.74	6.79
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	6.77	6.79	6.72	6.77
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	6.75	6.77	6.70	6.75
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	6.73	6.75	6.68	6.73
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	6.71	6.73	6.66	6.71
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	6.69	6.71	6.64	6.69
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	6.67	6.69	6.62	6.67
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	6.65	6.67	6.60	6.65
Jan. 9	Jan. 8	6.63	6.65	6.58	6.63
Jan. 9	Jan. 8				

**SIMPSON**

Store Opens 8 a.m.

Closes at 5.30 p.m.

H. H. Fudger, President.

J. Wood, Manager.

PROBS: W. to N. W. winds; fair and very cold.

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### The Annual Fur Event

The green tickets will be everywhere alongside the old price checks. Come and see the values we are offering.

Persian Lamb Jackets, 30 inches long, made from the highest grade of Leipzig-dyed skins, semi-fitting, with long roll collar, extending to waist line; lined throughout with French brocade or plain satin; one of the very newest models. Regularly \$250. Thursday **195.00**

Fur-lined Coats, length 50 inches, imported French broadcloth shell or outside, nicely tailored, with strapping of self, lined with the very best Canada muskrat; deep storm collar, and large revers of the best western sable. Regularly \$50.00. Thursday **39.00**

Astrachan Jackets, 34 in. long; collar and revers of western sable; lined throughout with best black satin. Regularly \$45. Thursday **37.50**

Natural Alaska Sable Muffs, large rug shape, lined with best brown satin, and finished with 5 tails and 5 heads. Regularly \$30. Thursday **19.00**

6 only Handsome Broad-tail Paw Sets, muff and shawl scarf. Regularly \$95. Thursday **65.00**

Natural Canada Mink Muffs, in pillow, rug, empire and fancy shapes. Regularly \$75.00. Thursday **60.00**

Regularly \$60.00. Thursday **45.00**

Regularly \$50.00. Thursday **42.50**

Natural Eastern Canada Mink Stoles, in all the very newest designs. Regularly \$85.00, \$75.00 and \$55.00. Thursday \$70.00, \$60.00 and \$42.50.

Children's Grey Lamb Furs, including stoles, scarfs, collars, muffs, gauntlets, and caps. A splendid assortment, all first quality, at 25 per cent. off regular prices.

### Two \$11.95 Items In the Mantle Section

(Third Floor.)

One-piece Dresses for afternoon or evening wear, made of chiffon over Jap silk slip, have waists with sheer yoke and semi-low neck, trimmed with tiny pearl beads and outlined with Plauen lace insertion. The sleeves are short. Skirts hang to knee line, and are surrounded with a deep fold of colored chiffon, continued at bottom. Ivory trimmed with sky blue, pink or Nile. Regularly \$18.50. Thursday **11.95**

#### WOMEN'S EVENING WRAPS.

Attractive styles and materials, in shades of green, rose, tan, blue, champagne and crimson. Some hanging loose from shoulder, with large cape effect, have bell shaped sleeves, trimmed with folds of black satin; others square collars, handsomely braided. Regularly \$19.75 to \$25.00. Thursday **11.95**

### Excellent Petticoat Chances

**\$1.25 LINED SATEEN PETTICOAT 95c.**

Petticoat of black mercerized sateen, body lined with red flannelette, pin tucked and strapped flounce, with two frills. Lengths 36 to 42 inches. Regularly \$1.25. Thursday **.95**

Imported Moreen Petticoats, black, navy or green, straight hanging flounce, trimmed with rows of pin tucking and accordion pleating. Lengths 38 to 42 inches. Regularly \$1.25. Thursday **.95**

#### SMALL WOMEN'S MOIRE PETTICOATS

of black moirette, for misses or small women, two-piece flounce trimmed with rows of stitched strapping, also rows of pin tucking. Lengths 32, 34 and 36 inches. Thursday **1.50**

#### Dress Fabrics

Black and White Shepherd Check, a soft texture, fine, even weave; comes in three sizes of check, small, medium and large; specially adapted for women's, misses' or children's garments, and guaranteed to launder perfectly; 42 inches wide. Regularly 50c. Thursday **.34**

#### Trimmed Hats

The Austrian velour of which the shape is made has an unusually rich velvety finish, while the black Marabou mounts and black silk velvet give a handsome effect over the rolling brim. 20 only in black or black and white. The regular price for this grade is \$5.00 and \$6.50. Thursday **2.75**

### Small Sized Rugs

Mohair Rugs, odd sizes and colors, terra cotta, greens, reds and old gold. Regular \$3.25 to \$8.00. Sale price **\$1.95 to 3.75**

24 Sample Smyrna Rug Sections. Worth \$1.25. Sale price **.69**

English Tapestry Stair Carpets, in numerous patterns and colors; very hard-wearing carpet; 22 1/2 in. x 27 in. wide. Regularly 40c and 50c a yard. Sale price **.39**

# The Simpson Store

will welcome the early arrivals with a special generosity. For them are the Eight o'clock values. The bargains where possible are carried through the day, but you can choose best and buy best in the early morning hours.

## The Tide of Whitewear Values Still Flows Full and Free

Thousands of fore-sighted women have visited the winter wear section, and availed themselves of the wonderful pricing, that makes this **Our Greatest White Sale**. Some special values

Maids' Aprons, of lawn, with embroidered bib and bretelles, wide sashes and tucked skirt; size of skirt 38 x 38 inches. Regularly 65c, Tuesday **.43**

Maids' Aprons. Regularly 90c, Thursday **.63**

Overall Apron, heavy blue and white check gingham, covers whole dress except sleeves, width of skirt 52 inches. Regularly 50c, Thursday **.39**

Night Dresses, of white flannelette, silk embroidery, lengths 54, 56 and 58 inches. Regularly \$1.25, Thursday **1.00**

Princess Slips, exquisite garments of nainsook, real German Valenciennes lace insertions and ruffles. Sizes 32 to 42 bust. Regularly \$8.00, Thursday **4.39**

Combinations of nainsook, shadow embroidery and Val. lace insertions. Sizes 32 to 42 bust. Regularly \$4.50, Thursday **2.69**

Petticoats, of heavy cotton, lengths 36 to 42 inches. Regularly \$4.25, Thursday **2.95**

Night Dresses, 3 white sale styles, fine nainsook or cotton, slip over or high neck styles, fine embroidery or lace trim, all sizes in the lot. Regularly \$1.25 to \$1.65, Thursday **1.00**

Drawers, sizes 23, 25, 27 inches. Regularly 75c, Thursday **.50**

\$1.25 Sahlin or Royale Bust Form and Corset combined, 32 to 38 bust, in different waist measures. Thursday Sale price, each **1.00**

### White Sale Prices on Waists

Waists of white lawn, with gimps of pin tucking, rows of Val. lace, insertion and embroidery; have tucked back and invisible fastenings 3/4 length sleeve, tucked cuffs and collar; all sizes, regularly \$1.00, Thursday **.50**

Shirtwaists of pure Irish linen, several good styles, plain tailored or tucked with strapped seams, 'kerchief pocket, shirt sleeve and link cuffs. Regularly \$1.95 and \$2.25. January Sale **1.25**

Waists of wool voile, kimono style, 3/4 length sleeve, front, shoulders and collar are piped with mesaline satin, and have buttons of harmonizing color; black, navy, cardinal and all white. January Sale **2.48**

### Embroideries One-fourth to One-half Under-priced

A superb gathering of St. Gall and Plauen embroideries, many exclusive patterns, are the maker's season's surplus. All fresh, new, 27 and 45 inch flouncings. Wednesday at 25c, 35c, 42c, 48c, 58c, 68c and 98c.

Embroidery Edgings and Insertions, yard, 5c, 6c, 7c, 8c, 9c, 10c and 12 1/2c.

3,000 Swiss Embroidered Waist Fronts. Regular value 19c, Wednesday, each **.10**

200 dozen Ladies' Embroidered Handkerchiefs, Wednesday, half price, each **.10**

## Midwinter Offerings from the Linens and Staples

ENGLISH WHITE SAXONY FLANNELETTE, 7/8c YARD. 32 inch English Saxony Flannelettes, white only, strong, firmly woven cloth, free from dressing. Regular 10c to 13c per yard. Sale price, Thursday **.7 1/2**

DAMASK TABLE CLOTHS, \$1.97 EACH. 2 x 2 1/2 yards, made from pure grass bleached linen, full satin damask, either Irish or Scotch make, designs for round or square cornered tables, only about 160. Thursday, each **1.97**

45 INCH CIRCULAR PILLOW LINEN. About 380 yards only. Thursday **.49**

ENGLISH NAINSOOK CAMBRIC. 36 inches wide. Sale price, Thursday, yard **.15**

ENGLISH CIRCULAR PILLOW COTTON, 15c YARD. Fine linen finish, and 44 inch width, for quick selling. Thursday, yard **.15**

\$2.75 HORSE BLANKETS, \$1.38. Only half price for some of the best horse blankets sold in Canada, only 55 to sell, the balance of two odd lots. Regularly \$2.75 each. Thursday **1.38**

Phone direct to Linen Department.

### Glove Values

Women's Imported Glace Kid Gloves and Mittens, fur top, dome fastener, all-wool lining, black or tan, size 6 only; mittens, black, size 6 1/2 and 7; tan, 6 1/2, 7, 7 1/2. Regular \$1.50 value. Thursday, pair **.98**

Boys' and Girls' Tan Cape Leather Unlined Gloves, dome fastener, pique sewn seams, in shades of tan; sizes to fit up to 14 years. Regularly 75c. Thursday **.59**

### Lace Curtains at Sale Prices

500 pairs Nottingham Lace Curtains, \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 values, have attractive and neat patterns, 3 and 3 1/2 yards long. Thursday, per pair **.89**

2,000 pairs Nottingham Lace Curtains, in novelty and cable net weaves, very durable, have all advanced designs and effects. Regularly \$3.00 and \$3.50. Thursday, per pair **2.19**

## Very Low Prices in the China Section

900 Fine China Tea Cups and Saucers—Kermis and Ovide shapes, handsome decoration, English Limoges and German China. Regular 25c, Thursday **12 1/2**

50 only, 10-piece Toilet Sets, deep roll rim basin, floral decoration, new Princess shape. Regular \$5.00, sale special **2.69**

Royal Carlsbad China Dinner and Tea Service, dainty rosebud band design, all pieces, gold stippled. Thursday's big special **19.99**

10 only, Marble Busts, Thursday **2.99**

20 Marble Busts, less than half price, Thursday **5.37**

20 pieces Rich Cut Glassware, comprising flower vases, tankard jugs, rose bowls, less than half price. **19.93**

**The SIMPSON Company Limited**

## Odd Pieces of Parlor Furniture AT BARGAIN PRICES

Parlor Tables, mahogany finish, well designed. Regularly \$5.45, Thursday **4.25**

Parlor Tables, dull finished mahogany. Regularly \$14.75, Thursday **11.00**

Parlor Tables, solid mahogany, beautifully finished. Regularly \$18.00, Thursday **13.90**

Odd Corner Chairs, mahogany finish, with plain upholstered seat. Regularly \$5.20, Thursday **3.90**

Odd Parlor Arm Chairs, mahogany finish, high back, with spring seat. Regularly \$7.40, Thursday **5.45**

Odd Parlor Chairs, mahogany finish, deep spring seat and panel back. Regularly \$11.60, Thursday **8.95**

Arm Chairs and Arm Rockers, in polished mahogany finish. Regularly \$14.50 and \$15.50, Thursday **10.75**

## Warm Boots and Slippers

Best quality Felt Boot, lace style, thick felt sole and heel, leather-covered vamps; a grand, warm boot for either out or inside wear:

Men's, sizes 6 to 11. Thursday **1.99**

Women's, sizes 3 to 8. Thursday **1.99**

Best quality Felt Boot, lace style, leather sole and heel, leather foxed all around:

Men's, sizes 6 to 11. Thursday **1.99**

Women's, sizes 3 to 8. Thursday **1.69**

Best quality English Plaid Felt House Boot, leather-covered felt sole, very soft and warm; buckles up around ankle like an overshoe; sizes 6 to 11. Regular \$1.50. Thursday **1.15**

Women's Felt Juliet Slippers, hand-turn leather soles, medium heels, colors red, brown and black; neat ornament on vamp. Sizes 3 to 8 **.99**

## Overcoats---A Boon to the Out-of-Doors Man

Two-tone Brown English Tweed Overcoating, in herring-bone weave; made in single and double-breasted styles, with self collar, cuffs, leather buttons, satin sleeve linings **22.00**

English Melton Overcoats, made single-breasted, with fly front; black silk velvet collars, edges and seams having raw edges, double stitched; mohair linings. Thursday **15.00**



## Youths' Three-Piece Suits

Three-button single-breasted coats, single-breast vest, and full hip trousers, of English worsted, with a hop-sack finished top, one of the most durable cloths, are in dark brown, with a faint blue stripe and small overcheck. Best English twilled linings and inter-trimmings. Sizes 33 to 35. Thursday **10.50**

## Boys' Suits of Two Pieces

A double-breast coat and bloomer pants of dark brown English tweed; the coat cut with long lapels and slightly fitting back; the bloomers full American style and well trimmed. Sizes 27 to 34. Thursday **6.50**

## Clearing Of Mufflers

All odd lots of Mufflers; a good assortment of many styles and shapes for evening dress; silk knitted, with fringe ends; automobile wraps, made from pure Angola wool; silk reefers and squares, in plain and fancy colors. Regularly \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00. To clear Thursday morning **.98** (No phone or mail orders.)

## WONDERFUL SHIRT VALUE

Miners, prospectors and surveyors can save money on these shirts; made from a genuine 6-ounce duck; the fronts and cuffs four-ply, with patent extra strong dome fasteners, which cannot possibly pull off; two safety pockets that fasten; extra large body, and double sewn seams; sizes 14 to 18. Regularly \$1.50. Thursday **.98**

## Men's Furs

Caps, in wedge, driver and Kiva shapes, of near seal, well lined and finished. Thursday **2.65**

Fur Collars, of astrachan, Korean beaver, wallaby, electric seal, nutria, and raccoon skin, adjustable style buttons on coat, extra well lined. Regularly \$5.00 and \$6.00. Thursday **3.50**

## Groceries of Simpson Quality

2,000 lbs. Dairy Butter, in prints, per lb. 29c. Fresh Flaked Wheat, per stone 45c. Smoked Rolls of Bacon, lean and mild, half or whole, per lb. 15c. Choice Pink Salmon, 1/2-lb. flats, 3 tins 25c. Finest Canned Tomatoes, per tin 12c (only 3 tins to a customer). Edwardsburg or Beehive Table Syrup, 6-lb. pail 25c. Salt in 5-lb. Bags, 3 bags 14c. 400 Jars E. D. Smith's Pure Strawberry Jam, 16 ounce Jar 25c. Cowan's Perfection Cocoa, 1/2-lb. tin 23c. Blue Bell Jelly Powders, assorted, 4 packages 25c. Canned California Peaches in heavy syrup, large tin 25c. Malta Vka Breakfast Cereal, 3 packages 25c. Margi Soups, assorted, 6 packages 25c. Imported Malt Vinegar, Imperial quart bottle, 20c.

35c ASSAM TEA FOR 28c. 300 lbs. Fine Rich Full Bodied Assam Tea, of uniform quality and fine flavor. A 35c tea anywhere. Thursday, per lb. **.28**