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Linen Flurry

Every lady can appreciate a bargain in Linens. Every lady accustomed to shopping knows the value of linens to a nicety, and it is to this knowledge that we especially appeal in our Thanksgiving Linen Sale.

A Saving of 50 per cent on Napkins and Table Linen is worth consideration, and for Friday and Saturday we offer you this saving.

Every piece of Bleached Table Linen we offer you, during this Sale, is absolutely pure linen and grass bleached, they are all 2 yards wide, and all of the very newest designs, on sale at these prices:—

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| 65c Values for | 50c | 75c Values for | 64c |
| \$1.25 Values for | 80c | \$1.15 Values for | 78c |
| \$1.35 Values for | 82c | \$1.50 Values for | 95c |
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Mill seconds and over-productions in pure linen, full sized bleached napkins, assorted designs, on sale at these prices:—

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| \$4.00 napkins for | \$2.50 |
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| \$6.00 napkins for | \$3.25 |

Towels

Come in and see the immense variety of Irish linen towels, we offer you special during the sale at 12 1-2c each.

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| 22x44 extra large fringed huck towel, very special at | 12 1-2c |
| 22x38 extra fine hemmed huck towel, bordered, very special at | 12 1-2c |
| 18x56 fine hemstitched huck towel, very dressy, extra special at | 12 1-2c |
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| 18 inch pure linen Hygiean crash rollering, in plain and with red border, very special values at a yard | 10c |
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| 24 inch wide fine pure linen bleached linen huck toweling, extra value at | 25c |
| 24 inch wide fancy Huck toweling with damask designs, very special at | 50c |

BUGLE BAND'S BIG MINSTRELS

A First Class Performance At the Grand Last Evening—A Good House.

Holly Sheppard Shows Chatham How to Produce an Excellent Minstrel Show—Repeated To-Night.

The Bugle Band Minstrel show, held at the Grand last evening, was a huge success. Holly Sheppard, the minstrel producer from Bay City, has every reason to feel proud of his show. There was a good attendance and the applause throughout was very great.

Mr. Sheppard is a wonder when it comes to putting on an amateur minstrel show. He is in a class by himself. He says that this is one of the best he has ever put on, and it is far ahead of the most of the professional minstrel shows which are travelling the country.

The house was perfumed by A. I. McCall & Co., and as the people entered they could easily believe that they were in a hot bed of roses. The show opened with a good chorus, "Glorious High Ball," introducing the ballad singers and the comedians, and closing with the entire company. The applause started as soon as the curtain went up and continued during the entire performance.

J. W. Plewes was the interlocutor and he made a capital one. He ran the first part, and the audience were well satisfied with his management. This first part consisted of ballads, and songs, and jokes, and the audience was kept in peals of laughter throughout the whole part. Every song was encored.

"Johnnie Morgan" was well sung by Art Hutchison and Dan Robertson made a hit with his end song, "Hannah." Sam Mains, his funny comedian, sang "Alexander" in a way which took the house down. Reg Pleasance, in "My Heart is Yours Alone," was heard to good advantage. The song suits his voice, and he sang it well. Matt Douglas followed with "Gone, Gone, Gone," and Harold McDonald sang in good style "An Old Sweetheart of Mine." Harold is a young singer, but he has an excellent voice and gives promise of becoming one of Chatham's best.

Will Chrysler, who is a popular end-man in Chatham, sang "Hannah, Won't You Open That Door?" in a manner that pleased, and he was warmly applauded. "My Irish Canary" was sung by John LaFrancis. John has a good voice and he sings remarkably well. The song was a pretty one and he made a great hit. Harry Massey broke all records in his song, "Good-bye, Eliza Jane." He was repeated, encored, and he never failed to fill his chorus full of it. There was a snap in the singing and every act followed on in good, quick succession.

The olio was just as good as the first part. It opened with the tinkers' chorus from Robin Hood, which act was recalled several times. The tinkers were J. W. Wilson, W. Tackaberry, John R. Smith, J. W. Plewes, Harry Massey, Will Smith and Alf. Wrigley.

Chrysler and Sheppard came on in a double act called "Travesty" in a Corte. This was very enjoyable and they were forced to respond to an encore.

The Indian specialty, consisting of a song, "Big Chief," by Matt Douglas and his graves, Joe Tilt, Alex. Moffatt, Tom Poole, Sam Maine, Steve Anquetil and Ed. Lampman was well received.

Then came an original act introducing J. W. Wilson in a new song, "Glory," assisted by Will. Smith, Frank Ross, M. P. Sheldon, John R. Smith, W. Tackaberry, J. W. Plewes, H. W. Anderson and R. W. Angus. This made a great hit and was recalled several times.

Dave Corkram entertained the audience with a couple of comic songs and then came the back Flora Dora, which was also a great hit. Those who took part in it were Maidens Will Chrysler, Reg. Pleasance, Matt Douglas, Alex. Moffatt, Dan Robertson, John LaFrancis and their partners, Harry Massey, Joe Brady, Sam Maine, Tom Poole, Lige Maine and Joe Tilt.

The whole show was indeed a great success and the Bugle Band had every reason to feel proud of it. It will be repeated to-night.

The following are the names of the entire company: A. Moffatt, J. Brady, J. Smith, W. Smith, F. Ross, A. Morrell, W. Head, W. Farby, M. Primeau, Poole, G. Poole, A. Darling, Geo. Ward, Geo. Johns, A. Hutchison, A. Wrigley, W. Tackaberry, B. Shillington, G. Humphrey, L. Maine, Geo. Lee, S. Anquetil, Jos. Tilt, J. Pierott, A. Cokran, E. Lampman, S. Turner, M. Sheldon, R. W. Angus, H. W. Anderson, J. W. Wilson, H. McDonald, J. LaFrancis, R. Pleasance.

Have you read Northway's Coat Sale "ad." on page 2? Don't miss it. Seats go on sale to-morrow for Geo. Klint's \$10,000.00 scenic production of "On the Bridge at Midnight," which plays at the Grand Opera House Monday next.

EVERYBODY READS IT. "Four-Track News" for November. Read article on "Land of Evangeline." For sale at all newsdealers.

ROYAL TIME AT BLENHEIM

Liberal - Conservatives of that Town Will Hold Big Demonstration To-morrow Night.

Special Train From Chatham—Addresses, Torchlight Procession and Banquet.

The Liberal-Conservatives of Blenheim are not to be out-done in celebrating the recent victory at the polls. Arrangements have been made by them for a monster demonstration to be held in the Blenheim Opera House to-morrow night, followed by an immense torchlight procession and banquet.

In order that the Chatham Liberal-Conservatives may have a chance of participating, a special train has been chartered and will leave the C. E. R. station at 7 p. m. sharp, accompanied by the Regimental Band, and returning about 11 o'clock.

Mr. Clements urgently requests that every Chatham Liberal-Conservative will turn out and assist in making the Blenheim demonstration a rousing success.

NEW ARMORY TO BE BUILT

Contract Has Been Awarded to George A. Proctor, of Sarnia, at About \$60,000.

Good Work of the Late Member in This Matter Appreciated—Results Come at Last.

Ottawa, Nov. 9.—The contract for a drill hall and armories at Chatham has been awarded to George A. Proctor, of Sarnia. The price is about \$60,000.

This is good news and means that, at last, the new armories are an assured fact. The Government had been so slow in this matter that many had come to the conclusion that the whole enterprise threatened to become an election scheme. It is very satisfactory to note that they meant business after all.

It is about three years since the new armories were first taken up by Hon. J. Israel Tarte, the Minister of Public Works. His retirement shortly after delayed any immediate action, but both Messrs. Stephens and Clancy, then members for Kent, pushed the matter with the present good results. Mr. Rankin and the officials also were instrumental in securing action.

If the building is now proceeded with the long delay will be forgiven and much credit heartily accorded Mr. Stephens for his efforts in the matter. When a man does a good deed for his constituents he should receive credit for it and, in this matter, the late member for Kent is deserving of the thanks of his constituents.

RECEPTION

The Friends and Workers of Herbert S. Clements Enjoy an At Home.

A reception to the friends and workers of Mr. H. S. Clements, M. P., was given by the new member at his home last evening. There were no special invitations issued and everyone who wished to go was welcome.

There were about 100 present and a jolly good time was spent by everyone. There were songs and music of all kinds. Solos were given by Geo. Gant and others.

Light refreshments were served and a pleasant and social time was certainly enjoyed.

A number of speeches brought the happy gathering to a close. They were made by Dr. Hall, Dr. Thornton, Mr. Cherry, Mr. Pike, Mr. Sulman, Mr. Day, Mr. Arnold and Mr. Dunn. Mr. Clements wishes it understood that not only last night, but on every night he is always at home to his friends of West Kent.

DR. REAUME THE COMING MAN Windsor, Nov. 9.—The annual meeting of the North Essex Conservative Association has been called for November 19th, at Windsor. A candidate for the local Legislature will be selected at that time. Dr. J. O. Reaume will be the choice of the convention. The North Essex Liberals have not yet decided on a date for their convention, but when it is called there will be no lack of candidates. D. J. McGee, of Windsor; William Price, of Maidstone; Severn, DuCharme, of Belle River, and Ernest Girardeau, of Sandwich, likely will be in the field.

BIG FIRE AT DRADER'S

The Large Saw and Stave Mill on the River Burned to the Ground.

Loss to Mr. Drader About \$25,000—Half Covered by Insurance—Good Work by the Firemen.

The heaviest fire that has visited Chatham in years occurred last night, when Drader's hoop and stave mill was completely destroyed and burned to the ground, incurring a loss to Mr. Drader of between twenty and twenty-five thousand dollars.

The fire started from a spark from the smokestack and first caught on the heading mill. There is a watchman at the mill who keeps the furnaces at night. He had just got through firing up when the spark fell and ignited the roof of the heading mill.

The building, which was a frame one, was as dry as matchwood and was a mark for a fire. The whole building seemed to go up in a blaze at once. The watchman at once commenced to blow his whistle and the noise attracted P. C. Peter Dezelia, who was on night duty. About the same time he saw the reflection in the sky and pulled box 14. This was at twenty minutes to one when the firemen were called out. They responded promptly and were soon at the fire with streams of water playing on the flames but they were unable to save the building as there was a strong wind blowing and the flames had gained considerable headway before the firemen got there.

They were, however, able to save the surrounding buildings that had not caught fire before they got there and they put forth all of their energy in this direction.

It was a pretty sight but an expensive one to Mr. Drader. There was a big crowd of spectators present to watch the flames and it was indeed an awful sight. The whole building was one mass of flames and lit up the whole city. Daniel Jordan, who lives down the river, woke up and thought it was daylight and was surprised that the morning had come so soon. Fortunately the wind was in the right direction and blew towards the river or the flames would have spread farther in spite of the many efforts of the firemen. Several times the wind veered around for a short time and things looked pretty serious for the wagon works, but not for long. Mr. Landon, manager of the mill, was on the ground and was an anxious man several times, but owing to the splendid work of the firemen the flames were confined to the one building.

Four lines of hose, comprising in all about 1,900 feet, was in use and they were kept busy all the time. Adjoining the mill are large piles of logs and staves and several times both the staves and the logs caught fire but each time the flames were promptly extinguished. The sparks from the flames were thrown and carried by the wind as far over as Victoria avenue, but fortunately the heavy frost on the buildings extinguished them before they could start a flame. Once the roof of one of the smaller buildings adjoining, and some distance from the fire, caught, but it did not gain any headway. The fire brigade from the wagon works were on hand early and did valuable work in helping to check the fire.

The heading mill was completely destroyed with all the machinery, as also was the dry kiln and the stave mill. The machinery in the hoop and stave mill and the boiler and engine were saved.

The firemen worked all night on the fire and half of them returned to the hall at three o'clock and the rest at six o'clock.

When the firemen returned from the fire they found an excellent lunch awaiting them, the gift of Alex. Eberts of the Garner House. The firemen appreciated this gift. Wm. M. Drader, when interviewed this morning, said:

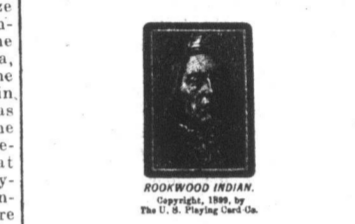
"The loss will be about twenty or twenty-five thousand dollars. It is about half covered by insurance. I got the building about seven years ago from D. R. VanAllen and I had it overhauled then. I think I will rebuild again, but things are very unsettled yet and I have not decided what I will do."

Death of Ex-Judge Clark. Toronto, Nov. 10.—The death took place yesterday at Cobourg of George McKenzie Clark, K. C., for many years judge in the County Court of Northumberland and Durham. He resigned in 1887 to become solicitor for the C.P.R., which position he vacated three years ago. Deceased was 70 years of age, having been born in Belleville, April 14, 1828. He was educated at Upper Canada College, called to the bar in 1850, and practiced his profession at Cobourg. Mr. Clark served on many great commissions of inquiry.

The wonderful scenic effects and the splendor of the stage settings of George Klint's \$10,000.00 production of "On the Bridge at Midnight," have excited universal commendation wherever the play has been seen. It is a most remarkable production, marvellously staged. The story of the play is entrancingly interesting and admirably portrayed by a competent company. This company play the Grand on Monday next. Seats on sale to-morrow. Prices 25c, 35c, 50c and 75c.

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THE UNITED STATES AS A WORLD-POWER.

Phillips Brooks once said that when the American people acquired a due sense of proportion and perspective, great things might be expected of them.

Every defect in government, every uncouth development in the economic life of the United States can be traced more or less directly to the lack of this national characteristic.

If the United States were a nation set off by themselves, it would be possible to view their continued existence as a badly governed people, with a sincere, but impersonal regret.

LAYING FOR ROSS.

The people of Ontario are waiting for a chance to get at the worst hypocrite and the worst political gamester that ever appeared in Canada.

VERY LARGE IFS.

Had money not been strewn about the city like leaves in autumn in the brooks of Vallambrosa, and had not the railway workmen been made to fear an invasion of the unemployed (discharged) men from the other side as the penalty of disobedience, the majority counted for Mr. Hyman would have been counted for Mr. Gray with about three hundred in addition.

ONTARIO STRAWS.

The Federal contests furnished some straws which show how the political wind is blowing in Ontario. North Renfrew elected a Conservative to a seat in the Dominion House, where formerly it had elected a Liberal.

TRIBUTE FROM AN OPPONENT.

The matter is not one in which newspaper which supports the government can express an opinion without running the risk of being told that it is its own business. But we do help thinking that it would be a mistake for the Conservative and a misfortune for the country.

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been slow to acknowledge its admiration for what he has done in this connection. The campaign just closed was conducted on a much higher plane than that of 1900. It was not Mr. Borden's fault that his party did not make a better showing.

CONTRASTING POLITICAL CONDITIONS.

It is far harder to forecast the result of a general election in Canada than in Great Britain. Here the principle of the swing of the pendulum can generally be depended upon, except in very special circumstances.

What The Minister Says

Is Most Convincing.

"I thought I would write you what Pyramid Pile Cure has done for me. I had a most aggravated case of bleeding piles; indeed I remember when I had to go to stool. One fifty-cent box cured me. I feel like a new man.

REGIMENT ORDERS

Chatham, Nov. 8th, 1904.

Headquarters 24th "Keat" Regiment.

Regimental Orders

by Lt.-Col. J. B. Rankin, Commanding.

1. The Regiment will parade with service caps and capes Thursday, Nov 10th, at 7.30 p. m. at the drill shed to attend the Bugle Band Minstrel show.

2. The officers have secured the seats for all members of the Regiment who parade to the Opera House.

By order, W. A. COLTART, LIEUT., Acting Adjutant.

Bugle Band Minstrels to-night!

We are advised by W. E. Rispin that the rates to St. Louis have again been reduced and are sold any day good to return any time within seven days, and as the Big Fair closes on the 30th of November, now is the time to take advantage of this reduction.

For further particulars call on W. E. Rispin, city passenger and ticket agent, 118 King street.

When you want an artistic design, call up or visit Victoria Ave. Green Houses, Phone 181.

SACHEL OF THE SATELLITE

When the cat's away the mice will play.

The Satellite was elected yesterday.

Hearty congratulations to the absent editor of this department.

They haven't got through cheering for Clements yet, and I don't blame them.

And still poor Ross hesitates to take the plunge. I guess he knows I'm a-laying for him.

That Liberal-Conservative gathering on the 19th will be a hummer, or I miss my guess.

Funny how every fellow in the office wanted to run the Satchel while the only and original is away.

They say Shep's Bugle Band minstrels were immense last night. Do not miss 'em at the Grand this evening.

Remember Ross, Stratton and Sullivan — and keep on remembering them.

I do hope those touring aldermen settle on a first-class market building when they're at it.

Keep your eye on West Kent in the coming provincial campaign. There'll be something doing.

In a very few days now I'll announce my candidate for the mayoralty. And he's a daudy.

The poor fellow who consents to run in West Kent in the interests of the Stratton-Sullivan-Ross combination takes his reputation in his hands.

They've a couple of evangelists working in Hamilton. Well, Hamilton needs 'em—at least West Hamilton does.

I'm delighted to note that the friends of good, clean government at Toronto are already at work in this constituency. That's right—all at it and always at it.

By-the-way, wouldn't it be a good idea for prospective aldermen and school trustees to get busy soon. A card in this G. H. J. is a great vote-getter.

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HAPPY EVENT

A very pretty home wedding took place at Thamesville on Monday evening, Nov. 7th, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. E. Clement, when the marriage of her only daughter, Grace, to Eugene Mills, of Windsor, was solemnized.

Promptly at six o'clock to the strains of the bridal chorus from Lohengrin, played by Miss Vergie Graves, cousin of the bride, and preceded by two little flower girls, May Cryderman and Etta McGaffey, looking very pretty in their white dresses and carrying baskets of roses, the bride and groom took their places before a bank of beautiful flowers.

The bride, who was unattended, wore a gown of white Duchess satin with a ruffled train and carried a bouquet of white roses. She looked very sweet and pretty indeed. After the ceremony a very sumptuous repast was served, the table being tastefully decorated with carnations. The bride's going-away gown was of pearl grey mohair and hat to match. The newly wedded pair will reside in Thamesville.

The many varied and beautiful presents testify to the esteem in which the bride was held in the village. Among others might be mentioned a beautiful quarter cut oak sideboard and linen drape, the gift of the congregation in the Methodist church, of which the bride was a member.

A jardiner and mustard dish from her Sunday school class and \$20 in gold from Mr. J. H. Mills and a set of silver knives and forks from Mrs. H. Mills, a gold watch and chain from Mr. and Mrs. N. Graves, and a fruit dish from Mrs. Stonehouse, three rockers, a handsome rug, a painting done in pestle, a bedroom set, a battenburg and a netted doyley, a bride's shawl, two linen table cloths, two silver card receivers, a silver patty and silver berry spoon, a silver sugar shell, a silver breakfast cruet, a china sugar and cream set, a china berry set, a raw fruit dish, china tea set, china souvenir cup and saucer, china spoonholder, a china plate, a carving set, a glass water set and a photo.

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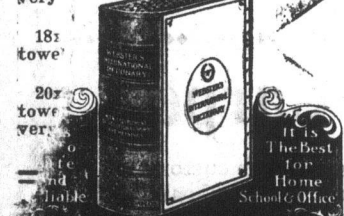
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THE STAGE

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Bugle Band Minstrels—Nov. 9-10. Guy Bros' Minstrels—Nov. 12. On the Bridge at Midnight—Nov. 14. The Mommy and Humming Bird—Nov. 17. Lyceum Course—Nov. 21. Local "Pinafore"—24-25. Sons of Scotland Benefit—Nov. 30.

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Guy Brothers make no empty boast in advertising themselves as the supreme leaders of up-to-date minstrelsy. An experience of 33 years has enabled them to cater to the amusement-loving public in a manner that merits and secures its fullest support. Their company this year numbers among others such entertainers as "The Panamas," the three wonderful acrobats, during set imitatively funny, Montambo with his sensational back somersault from a lofty pedestal—a feat performed only by this artist—Nichols and Mutt, screamingly funny comedians, Ivers and Brown, unique knockabout team, Schaeffer and Guy with their entertaining pured melodies, and Carter, the man with many hoops, well described as the marvel of the century,—these and other attractions on the program make up an evening rich in fun, frolic and melody, refined and diverting at every moment. At the Grand Opera House, Saturday night, Nov. 12.

AT THE GRAND MONDAY NEXT.

Every act of "On the Bridge at Midnight" represents a stage picture of surpassing beauty and wonderful effect, these magnificent settings furnishing the scenes for a comedy-drama of unusual interest, which commands the instant sympathy of the audience, which is kept vibrating 'twixt laughter and tears, as George Klunt and Alma Hearn, with their exceptionally large and thoroughly competent company, tell the story of the play which deals with the anguished search of a blind mother for her kidnapped daughter, Miss Hearn and Mr. Klunt do a versatile bit of acting that is delightful. The chief d'oeuvre of the stage setter's art is seen in one act where an enormous lift bridge of the jack-knife type is shown in practical operation, a steamer passing the draw. For the powerfully dramatic incidents and hilariously funny bits of comedy this production is unique.

THE OLDEST DOLL IN THE UNITED STATES.

Long, long ago, when William Penn sailed from England on his second visit to America, what do you think he brought with him on the good ship Canterbury? An English doll. This passenger is the sole survivor of that voyage across the Atlantic, which was made over 200 years ago. William Penn had a little daughter named Letitia. Letitia heard her father tell wonderful tales of what he saw and heard in Pennsylvania on his first visit to this country, thousands of miles distant from Letitia's home. He often told her about little Miss Rankin, who, living as she did in the wilderness of Pennsylvania—had no toys at all, not even one rag doll. When Letitia's father was getting ready to again cross the ocean to America, his little girl insisted upon sending a doll to that lonesome little girl.

So a doll was dressed in a court costume of striped and delicately tinted brocade and velvet. The skirt was held out by enormous hoops, for such was the fashion of the well-dressed ladies of that period. The doll itself is 20 inches high and has the long waist and slender form of the court beauties she left in her native land. Her hair is rolled back from her face, much in the style of to-day.

This doll now lives in Montgomery county, Md., in the strictest seclusion. She is only removed from her careful wrappings when little girls desire the honor of making the acquaintance of the oldest doll in America.—Holiday Magazine.

HOW INDIANS TELEGRAPHED.

With their body robes of finely tanned buffalo hide, held, raised, lowered, dropped and swung in certain well known peculiar ways, the Indian scouts and watchers used to telegraph thence to the distant village of the presence of strangers or enemies in the country, of the approach of the buffalo bands, and of the return of war and hunting parties.

If the camp was too distant for the blanket signal to be made out, the information was communicated by fires at night and by pillars and balloon shaped puffs of smoke by day, discernible to the distance of at least fifty miles. When the traders came up the Missouri river, the Indian scout added the small, circular hand mirror to his message but all sufficient outfit, and in time learned to communicate with his distant friends by flashes of sunlight. The first Indian hunter or horse herder who caught the danger signal from the lookout station repeated it to the village by riding his horse furiously in a circle or by some similar sign.—Field and Stream.

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JAPAN'S GREAT FIGHTING FORCE

Outsiders are not able to form an accurate opinion of the real condition of the military resources of Japan. Even the sympathetic people of Europe and America are in the dark on the subject. I have been informed by an intimate friend, who has been in the service of the Japanese army for three years, that Japan can call into service at short notice, 1,500,000 of strong fighting men, besides the large national guard, for, according to his information, 539,282 men which was the number eligible for conscription in 1901—had no objection physical defect, and belonged to the first class, as shown by physical examination. The men who belonged to the second class had merely slight defects in the eyes or in some other bodily function. As for the naval force, 27,865 men—the total number of seamen in the active, and the first and second reserve, services—are of the best physique. In case of necessity, more than double this number can be recruited from the merchant marine, as well as from eager applicants for admission to the service. One million five hundred thousand is a large number, but it is a small portion of 8,034,098, which is the number of males from 17 to 40, who were available for conscription service in 1902.

Foreigners are apt to suppose that the flower of the Japanese soldiers and soldiers are necessarily the young men of the Samurai class on whom too much eulogy has been already lavished. True, the Samurai class have long been the flower of the Japanese fighters; and, indeed, most of the generals and admirals, and other high officers are still of the Samurai class; but the rank and file of the army and of the navy today are composed more of the plebeians, than of the patrician Samurai class. It is undeniable that the flower of the Japanese fighters are now at the front. Among the dead in the battles of Yalu, Nanshan, Telisau, Port Arthur, and Liao Yang are included some of the best men in the service. Japan can ill afford to lose these men at the front. If the slaughter at Liao Yang be repeated in many other battles, the effective strength of the Japanese army will be greatly lessened. But, in the opinion of some eminent authorities, assuming Japan's continued success, the active warfare will not last much longer after Harbin falls into the hands of the Japanese, although minor details of the war, may continue to make slight troubles. Then Japan will not need to maintain such an enormous force to the front. A greater part of the army will be withdrawn, leaving a sufficient force, to guard the frontiers of Manchuria, while China, to which Manchuria will be returned, will send her own troops to supersede the Japanese soldiers.—Jihai Hasaguchi in World's Work.

NOW HE CAN EAT WHAT HE LIKES

Mr. R. A. Barton Lost His Indigestion When He Found Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets.

"Now I can eat whatever is set before me asking no questions. Those are the words of Mr. R. A. Barton, well known in Toronto business circles, and living at 23 Tyndall avenue, Toronto. But Mr. Barton was not always in this happy state. He says: "I had indigestion in its worst form. I consulted several doctors. Their treatment did me no good. As a last resort I tried Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets. I took several boxes before they did me much good, but finally they had the desired effect. I heartily recommend Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets to anyone troubled with indigestion." If you would eat what you like when you like use Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets.

A FIRE-FIGHTING JOB COSTING 1,000,000.

One million dollars is being spent fighting the greatest subterranean fire that has ever broken out in the Pennsylvania anthracite coal regions. The fire, which started fifty years ago, has gained such enormous headway that at least two years must elapse before it can be fully extinguished.

Millions of tons of coal have been consumed by the flames since the fire first started. Millions of gallons of water have been poured into the mine from time to time in vain efforts to extinguish the blaze. There are still many millions of tons of coal which the flames have not yet reached, and it is with the determination of saving them that the latest fight against the flames has been begun.

No undertaking like it has ever been attempted before, and as improved methods of mining do not now permit such fires it will probably be the last great fight of the coal diggers against the most destructive element they know.

Of this fire no flames are to be seen. No smoke escapes, and only the presence of very heavy sulphurous vapor above the many cave holes it has caused gives indication that hundreds of feet below the surface is raging a fire as great as that which has filled the heart of many a volcano.

The fire is in the Greenwood colliery of the Lehigh Coal and Navigation Company, lying in the Panther Creek Valley of the lower region near Wilkesbarre, Pa. There the enormous vein rises in places to a solid sixty feet of the purest anthracite coal, and there too, are numerous other veins, less thick, but vastly valuable. It is these veins that the fire has been eating for the past fifty years, finding fuel incalculable, gorging itself like a great fiery dragon, and leaving in its wake desolation and ruin.

Where the fire had already raged the immense pillars of coal which supported the surface have been consumed and the surface has fallen in, great holes marking the flames' progress. Some of these are near houses of the house owners who fear that any day or night the earth may suddenly open and their property and their families be engulfed.

It is not to protect these that the operators are to spend a million dollars but to save from the fiery monster the millions of tons of good coal which still lie untouched in the path of the fire.

A conflict, steady, stubborn, and painstaking, will be waged; a conflict scientifically conducted, a conflict in which water alone would be valueless, but which, mixed with the refuse of coal itself is a deadly and effective agent in overcoming fire. HOW THE FIRE STARTED.

One day, before the Civil War started, when men who are now old, were young, a miner passing through the workings of the then famous Greenwood Colliery, chanced to touch with his naked lamp, one of the oil-soaked timbers supporting the roof of the main gangway. All unconscious of the little work, he hurried on and went home. He was the last to leave that portion of the mine. The next morning the fire boss, going his rounds, found dense bodies of smoke and gas in the mine. He could not get far, but he soon learned that a great fire was raging. Occasional explosions told of bodies of gas which were ignited and which added to the ruin being wrought. From that day to this the mine has been in the grasp of the fire fiend.

Hardy fire fighters then strove with all their skill and bravado to win back the mine. Some lost their lives. The struggle continued. For years it was fought, but greater and greater grew the fire, until every plan to cope with it being exhausted, the fire fighters retired baffled.

Since then other attempts have been made and failed, and for years the fire has had undisputed sway. There seemed no effective means of coping with it.

During recent years, however, new methods of fire fighting in mines have been discovered, and one was peculiarly effective. It was to pour on the fire a mixture of cutin and water, which fills the fire-eating spaces, and forces back before a steadily growing wall the angry flames until they are hemmed in a corner and crushed before they can gain force to exist.

It was this plan which gave the owners of the Greenwood the opportunity to save the million of dollars' worth of valuable coal which still lies in the mine awaiting the fire, unless the hand of man can quench it.

AN INGENUOUS CAPTAIN.

Many have read in Mr. Hopkinson Smith's story of "Cap'n Bob" who stopped a hole in his ferry-boat with his own arm, and thus saved many lives. The London Daily Express describes a method of stopping a leak no less novel and ingenious than Cap'n Bob's and not so trying to physical well-being as that adopted by the heroic pilot. The Norwegian bark Flora, bound for Cape Town, experienced in the Bay of Biscay such terrible weather that she was obliged to lie to for six days.

In the buffeting that the vessel received she sprang a leak and began to take in water at the rate of six inches an hour. All hands were kept at the pumps day and night without intermission. As the gale abated the bark drove before it into calmer seas. Captain Mattson found the leak was getting worse and set his brains to work. He constructed a great water proof canvas bag, sixteen feet long, six feet in circumference and two feet in diameter. This he kept distended by means of hoops. A window of glass was let into the side, five feet from the bottom. The captain stepped into the bag, and by means of tackle was drawn under water, so that he could see the leak. The other end of the bag being open and above water, he had plenty of air

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and could communicate with his men. Two sleeves had been made in this bag and were tied tightly about his wrists, so that he could work freely. In this way, looking at the leak through the inserted window, the captain worked steadily while the ship was hove to. The vessel rolled in a heavy swell, and sometimes Captain Mattson found himself below the surface. At one time the chafing of his feet against the vessel's side wore a hole in the bag, and the water entered and covered him.

But he was drawn up in good time, the bag was repaired, the work continued and the leak stopped.

CLEARLY UNSCRIPTURAL.

In accordance with his invariable custom at his Sunday evening lectures, the Rev. Dr. Snow had asked the women to remove their hats and bonnets in order that those who happened to be sitting behind them might have an unobstructed view.

Aunt Ann Peables, who was on her first visit to relatives in the city was in the audience. It was the first time she had ever heard such a request and she set her jaw firmly, leaned over, and whispered to her niece— "I just won't do it, Mandy!" It'd be disobeyin' St. Paul."

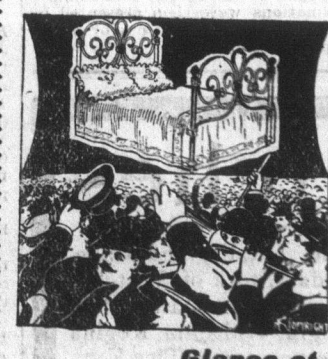
She didn't do it, either.—Chicago Tribune.

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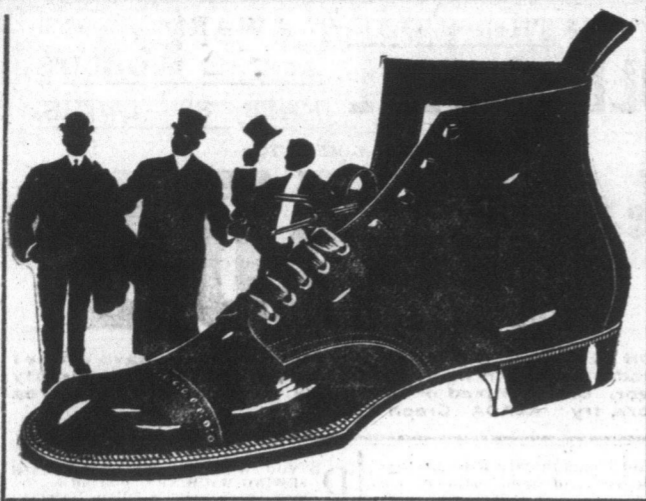
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THE LOCAL BUDGET

Again to-night—Bugle Band Minstrels.
New dates just received at Northwood's.
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Mr. Robertson, of Hamilton, is spending a couple of days with his Chatham friends.
Northwood's Allegrettes are delicious, only 40c per lb.
Robert Weatherston, who was in the city attending the wedding of his cousin, J. W. Young, returned to his home in Hamilton last evening.
Guy Bros. Big Minstrels play at the Grand Saturday night. Watch for their big noon-day street parade. Seats on sale to-morrow.
A full attendance of the degree team of the K. O. T. M. is ordered for Friday night, Nov. 14. Special work on hand. R. O. Springer, Captain. 3
A beautiful line of children's and Misses' rings, from \$1.00 to \$1.50.—E. J. MacIntyre, Leading Jeweller and Optician. 3t
Again to-night—Bugle Band Minstrels.
Robt. R. Tvinglie, teller in the Traders' Bank, Rodney, visited in the city on Wednesday evening, coming up for the Bugle Band minstrels' concert.
My stock is most complete. Come in and make your selection of Christmas gifts, and have them laid away. An early call secures first choice.—E. J. MacIntyre, Leading Jeweller and Optician. 3t
Mrs. Latineau, Ingram Street, has lodged a complaint with Chief Holmes against a neighbor's children, who Mrs. Latineau complains make too much disturbance on the street. No papers have been served yet, but if the children do not behave themselves a prosecution will follow.
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GOLDEN WEDDING

Happy Jubilee of Mr. and Mrs. D. Crow was Fittingly Celebrated

It is not often that we have occasion to announce in our columns an event of such interest as occurred yesterday at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Crow, Emma street, namely, the celebration of their golden wedding.

Just fifty years ago yesterday this well-known couple drove to Wallaceburg, thence to Baby's Point and crossed to Algonac. Here they were married by a Baptist minister named Isaac Justin. Both the witnesses, and the bridesmaid and groomsmen who were afterwards married, are dead, but the principals are both strong and hearty and show every sign of celebrating their diamond wedding—years hence. After their marriage the happy couple resided in Saginaw for about a year, thence they went to Raleigh Township, where they amassed considerable property and later on settled in this city, where they have resided ever since. Eleven children graced the union six of whom are now alive—Miss Laura, H. E., A. R., Owen N. and Francis S. of this city, and George T. of Prairie Siding. They are well-known as having inherited the sterling qualities of their parents. Mr. Crow is now 73 years of age and Mrs. Crow 66.

UP-TO-DATE SHOP

It is a well-known fact that the Chatham merchants are content with nothing but the very best and most up-to-date stores, store fronts, and modern equipment. This statement does not only apply to merchants and Mr. Harry Fitzsimmons has recently demonstrated the fact that as Chatham is progressing his business is progressing and he has now fitted up his barber shop in the Garner House in a manner that excels anything ever seen in this country. The shop has been remodelled and new furniture installed and traveling men say that it is now the best looking, and most up-to-date shop that they have ever seen—and the compliment is well deserved.
Last summer Mr. Fitzsimmons took a trip through all of the big American centres, including Chicago, New York, and others, with a view to getting suggestions for a new barber shop. When he came back he designed his shop with the result that he has the best points of them all, put together in one shop. His new stand and chairs are made of quarter-cut oak with handsome mirrors and up-to-date appliances.
The chairs were supplied by Jackson Little, of Toronto, and are the Clark Hydraulic make with patented head rest and back. The stand was made by the S. Hadley Lumber Company and is of elaborate design. His new shampoo arrangement has more of the appearance of a soda fountain than of a place for shampooing hair.
Among the many new up-to-date appliances is his vibrassage arrangement which is what is commonly known as an electric massage and is used for the scalp and face to prevent the hair falling out. Compressed air is used for spraying toilet water on the face and hair and also for drying same. There are mirrors on both sides of the room and the hat rack is all nickel plated. Prism lights have been installed and the walls have all been re-papered.
Mr. Fitzsimmons is to be complimented upon his new shop. He has a three-chair service and will always be found courteous and obliging.

A LIBERAL CONVENTION.

Ontario Hosts Called Together to Advise
Hon. G. W. Ross.
Toronto, Nov. 10.—Yesterday the Executive Committee of the Liberal Association of the Province of Ontario issued a circular letter calling a convention for Wednesday, 23rd November. The meeting seems to be for the purpose of advising Hon. G. W. Ross how to escape inevitable defeat. It is also an attempt to unite the party, as will be seen from the persons eligible as members:
(1) Liberal Senators from the Province of Ontario.
(2) Liberal members and ex-members of the House of Commons, or candidates in the last Dominion election.
(3) Liberal members and ex-members of the Legislative Assembly, or candidates at the last Provincial election, or Liberal candidates who are now in the field for election.
(4) The President and all Vice-Presidents, and the Secretary and Treasurer of every riding association.
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SPIRIT OF THE COLONIES.

Honour Law, M.P., says Lord Rosebery has Mistaken Idea.
London, Nov. 10.—(C.A.P.)—Honour Law, M.P., Parliamentary Secretary to the Board of Trade, speaking at Edinburgh, said that Lord Rosebery took a wrong view of the spirit of the colonies. The colonial Premiers at London a few years ago suggested that preferential trade was desired not so much for individual benefit as because they wished to continue to feel citizens of no mean country. If reciprocity between Canada and America became a fact, could anyone doubt its effect would be to weaken the ties of interest and sympathy with the mother country?
Can't Buy Loyalty.
London, Nov. 10.—(C.A.P.)—Lord Hugh Cecil, speaking at Newcastle, said as to the authority for the saying that preferential trade brought nations together they couldn't buy the loyalty of Canada, by two shillings per quarter on wheat and a penny per pound on meat. The foundation of loyalty was common race, common patriotic feeling and a common sentiment of devotion to a great cause. To persuade the colonies to become free traders was the only way to improve fiscal relations.

BURGLARS AT NORWICH.

Use Nitro-glycerine to Wreck a Postoffice Safe and Secure \$200.
Woodstock, Nov. 10.—Daring burglars were at work in the village of Norwich at an early hour yesterday morning. With the aid of nitro-glycerine they blew open the safe of the postoffice and obtained over \$200.
Two reports of the explosion were heard in the neighborhood about 2.30 o'clock, and shortly afterward three men were seen going along the west side of Silver street by Mr. Elliott, manager of the Molsons Bank, who sleeps in the bank. He heard the explosion and got up and saw three men.
The burglary was not discovered till 6.30 yesterday morning. Entrance was made into the postoffice through a back door which was forced open. The inside office doors were blown off and the office inside was badly demolished. Nitro-glycerine was used to blow open the safe. Stamps amounting to \$150 in value were taken, and \$50 or \$60 in silver.
It was not known whether the registered mail was interfered with or not. Pieces of the safe door were blown 20 feet through the inside door. The blacksmith shop of D. W. Polden was also broken into.
No clue as to the identity of the guilty parties has yet been received. The police are working on the case as usual.
You may save a lot of money by not being able to buy the things you think you want.—Chicago Journal.
"Why do women talk so much?" "I don't know, Charley, dear," answered young Mrs. Torkins, "unless it is because they refrain from using up their voices on baseball games and elections."—Washington Star.

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Very choice Bleached Damask, high grade quality, double damask, 72 inch wide, pure linen, oak leaf pattern, \$1.25 value for \$1.05. Napkins to match, 3/4 size, for \$3.00 per doz.
Shamrock, Rose and Thistle combined—\$1.40 value for \$1.20. Napkins to match 3/4 size, for \$3.75 per doz.
Polka Dot design, extra heavy, \$1.50 value for \$1.25 per doz. Napkins to match 3/4 size, \$4.25 per doz.

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Beautiful goods, choice patterns, per set, \$6.50, \$7.25, \$8.25, \$9.00, and \$9.50

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45x45 inch, pure linen lunch cloths, heavily embroidered and handsome open work corners, very fine quality, hand embroidered, special each \$2.25, \$2.75 and \$3.50

Tray Cloths—
Linen centre with fancy embroidered corners, each 35c
Damask tray cloths, with fancy open work centre, special each 35c
English embroidered tray cloths with fancy open work all round and in the corners, each 40c and 75c
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More New Carpets

Tuesday of this week we passed through customs—4 more bales of Carpets, comprising Brussels, Balmorals and Wiltons. These along with the immense shipment of Linoleums received last week again brings our stock of floor coverings up to a complete showing of all varieties.
It pays to buy Carpets at Austin's, not only because of the prices but because we have variety to show you.
We buy these goods direct from the makers, and all contracts were made before the advance in prices took place, so we are selling them at same prices as a year ago.
It's no trouble to show goods at this store and we will be pleased to quote you prices, and furnish you estimates of the cost of Carpets or Furniture for one room or a whole house if you wish.

NEW WAISTINGS

We received this last week a special line of new waistings. This line has been purchased less than the regular wholesale price and have been placed on our bargain counter at greatly reduced prices. In shades of blue, brown, black and cream, with fancy stripe and spot.
10 pieces of fancy waistings in stripes, checks and spots, regular 85c value, price 80c

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 - NEW COOKING FIGS, 5c. a pound.
 - NEW TABLE FIGS, 15c. and 20c. a pound.
 - MAPLE SYRUP, 18c, 30c. and 60c. a tin.
 - PANCAKE FLOUR, 15c. a pkg
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PARDO MADE STRONG KICK

West Kent Member Reported to be the Leader of the Movement Against Ross' Plan

Dissolution was Arranged for Yesterday but Objection Raised Against Temperance Plan.

Toronto, Nov. 9.—The unexpected always happens, and Premier Ross is between the devil and the deep sea. That something has occurred to interfere with the plans to dissolve the House, and bring on the elections with nominations on Dec. 13th, a party, whose word might be relied upon, says that both ballots and the proclamations announcing the elections have been printed, and the latter which was to have been issued yesterday, was called off. The reason assigned is that members objected to having an election thrust in their teeth without any warning.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Bugle Band Minstrels to-night! Shell oysters at Northwood's, 2t. Don't fail to read Thibodeau & Jacques' "ad" to-day.

Guy Bros., Saturday. On the Bridge at Midnight, Monday.

Northway's are selling \$8.50 to \$12 Ladies' Sample Coats for \$5.90 each. Wanted, position in dressmaking shop. Seven years' experience. Address Box 418.

Miss Alma Greigg, of London, is the guest of Miss Ettie McKie, Lansdowne Ave.

Miss Maud Schwemler, of this city, left to-day for California, where she will spend a year visiting her sister. Help the hospital, patronize the ladies by attending the musical, Monday evening, Nov. 14th, at Mrs. (Dr.) Duncanson's.

Richard Jordan and bride returned last evening from Port Huron, where they were married and held a reception last evening at their home, in North Chatham. Mr. Jordan is an old fireman and is a popular Chatham man. The presents were very numerous and costly showing the esteem in which they are held by their many Chatham friends.

Read about Northway's Big Coat Sale on page 2. Ladies' coats for Half Price. That's what you can get at Northway's Big Coat Sale Friday and Saturday.

The regular monthly meeting of the Park Street Ladies' Aid Society was held in the school-room of the church on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Seane, President, was in the chair. There were fifty members present. In connection with the anniversary services of the church the ladies realized \$156.80 by free-will offerings.

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YOUNG-HOUSTON.

At half-past six o'clock last evening, at the home of the bride's parents on Victoria avenue, an exceedingly pretty wedding was solemnized in the union of Mr. John Weatherston Young, city editor of The Planet and son of the late William Young, formerly Mayor of Chatham, and Miss Margaret Houston, daughter of Judge and Mrs. Houston. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. W. Hoyt, pastor of the Baptist Church, in the presence of the immediate relatives and friends only.

The handsome home was beautifully decorated with exquisite flowers and foliage. The alcove of the parlor, where the ceremony took place, was richly embanked with palms and ferns. The bride entered the room leaning on the arm of her father. She was gowned in white satin over white silk, with silk applique and chiffon yoke and sleeves. She wore a white net veil and orange blossoms and carried a beautiful bouquet of white roses.

The bride was assisted by her sister, Miss Jessie Houston, B. A. The bridesmaid's dress was of white organdie, trimmed with white satin ribbon. She carried a cluster of red roses with red satin ribbon.

The groom was supported by Mr. Frank M. Beechard.

Mrs. Houston, mother of the bride, was gowned in black silk grenadine over black taffeta silk with white lace front and black chiffon trimmings.

Miss Grace Houston, sister of the bride, wore pale blue nun's veiling over white silk with white lace yoke and under-sleeves.

Mrs. Young was attired in a dress of black Duchess satin with white chiffon trimmings.

Miss Helen Young, sister of the groom, wore cream etamine trimmed with cream lace and cream chiffon with touches of pale green velvet on the bodice.

Mrs. A. O. Oldershaw, sister of the groom, was gowned in black silk with cream lace yoke and black chiffon trimmings.

On the entrance of the bridal party the strains of Lohengrin's Wedding March were played by Mr. F. Phelps, while immediately at its conclusion Mr. R. W. Angus sang, in excellent voice, "O Promise Me," from Robin Hood, and "The Dream of Love," from the Wizard of Oz, while the strains of Mendelssohn's Wedding March accompanied the exit to the dining hall.

The table decorations were pink, green and white, with dainty white floral illusion from the chandelier to the corners of the table with pink satin ribbons and an exquisite basket of pink carnations in the centre.

The groom's gift to the bride was a magnificent sunburst of pearls with diamond centre; to the bridesmaid a gold crescent with fleur-de-lis of pearls. The gifts were very handsome and abundant, testifying to the popularity and esteem in which Mr. and Mrs. Young are universally held.

They included a large and exquisite cut glass celery dish from the Sunday School of the Baptist Church, with which the bride was actively identified, and a handsome leather upholstered couch from The Planet staff.

The wedding was a quiet one, only the immediate relatives being present. Among the out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. D. K. McNaughton, Detroit; Miss Barrie Weatherston, and Miss Frances Matches, Hamilton, and Robt. J. S. Weatherston, Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Young left by the evening G. T. R. train on a trip to Montreal, Quebec and other eastern points, accompanied by the hearty good wishes of their scores of Maple City friends.

Good music and good refreshments will be given by the ladies of the hospital at the home of Mrs. (Dr.) Duncanson, Monday evening, Nov. 14th. Admission, 25 cents.

DISTRICT DOINGS

DRESDEN

Nov. 10.—The annual Epworth League convention of Chatham district, was held in the Methodist Church here yesterday and Thursday. A large number of delegates from all parts of the county were present, good papers were submitted and interesting and profitable discussions followed in almost every case.

Miss E. Prangley and Mrs. S. Bentley attended the Kent County convention of the Women's Missionary Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church, held yesterday and Tuesday in Blenheim.

Dr. J. I. Wiley was in Owen Sound this week as a witness in the North Grey election trial.

Miss Annie McDonald, who has been visiting in Toronto for a couple of weeks, returned home this week.

Wesley Parrott, of the George Stephens Co., Chatham, was in town Tuesday night.

Anthony West, a former resident of our town, died in Detroit on Saturday of last week. The funeral service was conducted in the Methodist Church here on Monday morning, after which the remains were interred in the Dresden cemetery.

Chas. Wright, of Chatham, was the guest of friends in town during the E. L. convention.

A public meeting was held on Tuesday night to consider the question of granting a bonus to an automobile company which has proposed to build a factory in our town. The feeling was almost unanimous in favor of the project.

The accident to the engine at the electric light plant is but the last and worst of a series of periodical break-downs. The cause of the frequent breakages and consequent poor service is not hard to decide. The present machinery was doing its full capacity of work when the 1904 council came into existence. Since that time more lights have been added, with immediate and disastrous effect, as we all know. Recently the council added still more lights to the street circuit and wired several houses, notwithstanding the fact that they had been informed the power was insufficient for the work being done by the plant. Besides having to put up with frequent stoppages, the citizens have had poor lights all summer and frequent complaints have been the rule. The council should at once take steps to bring the plant up to the present requirements and install the new machinery which is so obviously an urgent need.

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Bring her in to assist you in selecting your new Winter Clothing. She knows the becoming colors, and she is not behind on the latest kinks in cut. Yes, it would please us very much to have you bring her in and well show her New Suits and Overcoats that are so handsome and full of style that she can't help liking them, and we know that you will be pleased with our prices.

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 Prices good until further notice—
 6 Bars Eclipse Soap, 25c
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 5 Gals. Coal Oil, 80c.
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 Other Goods at reasonable prices.
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Ladies' Golf Coats in Cardinal, Navy, White and Black, three styles at each \$2.25, \$3.25 and \$3.38.

Ladies' and Children's Underwear

Every reliable makers goods are represented in this stock and every kind of underwear is here in abundance. You'll be sure to find the underwear best adapted to your needs at this store. Natural wool, all wool, Scotch, lambs wool, Turnbull's 'ceta,' union, and all cotton ranging in price per garment from 25cts. to \$1.50 and children's at per garment from 12 1/2c to \$1.00

The New Golf Gloves

The New Golf Gloves in every winter shade are here in great numbers. Warm cosy gloves for ladies and children, made from good yarns at per pair 25c., 30c, 35c and 40 cents.

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- 5 lbs new Prunes for 25 cents
- 5 lbs new Figs for 25 cents
- Drummond Glasgow Mixed Pickles 10 cts a Bottle
- 4 Bars Beehive Soap 25 cents
- 1-10c bottles Extract, any flavor, 25c
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A SPLENDID MAGAZINE.

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A PROVINCIAL CONVENTION

Premier Ross Decides to Feel the Pulse of Party Rank and File.

On Question Before the Cabinet—Meantime the Question of Dissolution is Shelved.

Toronto, Nov. 9.—It is stated that Premier Ross has decided to call a Provincial Liberal Convention, and that members of the party have been summoned to meet in Toronto in the immediate future, to pass upon the subjects which are now engaging the attention of the cabinet.

At this gathering Mr. Ross will feel the pulse of the rank and file of the party, and will then definitely frame the policy on which he will appeal to the electors of the Province.

Dissolution of the Legislature was to have taken place yesterday afternoon and the announcement made this morning, but a hitch occurred at the last moment, due, it is said, to the protest of certain Liberal members, who were averse to an early general election. These members, it is stated, made such representations to the Premier as to induce him to come to the conclusion that the questions now agitating the cabinet—prohibition, construction and dissolution—had best be referred to the party as a whole.

CALL FOR A CONVENTION.

At a meeting of the executive of the Ontario Reform Association this afternoon, presided over by Hon. J. K. Kerr, it was decided to issue a call for a provincial convention to take place in this city toward the end of the present month. This will be the first provincial Liberal convention held since 1883. Those who are entitled to attend the convention as delegates are—Liberal senators from Ontario, Liberal members; ex-members or candidates for the House of Commons, and Legislature; the president; vice-president; secretary and treasurer of every riding association, and twenty electors from each riding in the province to be elected by the riding association.

A VOICE FROM OTTAWA.

Ottawa, Nov. 9.—The Free Press, Liberal, to-night says Mr. Ross must re-organize his Cabinet in order to win, and declares against prohibition in the party platform. Acceptable re-organization, no prohibition, and a rising newspaper campaign, it sees no reason why Mr. Ross should not carry Ontario as he has no men of first-rate ability opposed to him.

COOLNESS OF BRITAIN

May Yet Arouse Canadian Ire, Says Prof. Clark.

A Danger Pointed Out At An Enthusiastic Chamberlain Dinner On King's Birthday At the National Club—Distinguished Britisher Visitor Says Chamberlain Idea Is Coming More and More Into Prominence in Great Britain.

Toronto, Nov. 10.—The King's Birthday was fittingly celebrated by members of the National Club in a banquet commemorative of the occasion held last night. A guest of honor was Very Rev. Dean Pressley Smith of Argyle and The Isles. Vice-President Douglas proposed the toast to Chamberlain.

Lieut.-Col. Denison in responding declared that the past 50 years had witnessed three great movements tending toward unification—that of Bismarck, of Garibaldi, and recently of Chamberlain.

The One Thing to Save.

Prof. Clark confessed that he had no political leanings, and a deep, sincere, strong admiration for Chamberlain. Free trade feeling in Britain he termed as a kind of fanaticism, something that had no reason at bottom and the people didn't seem to appreciate the magnitude of the proposition. Prof. Clark went on to allude to Canada as made up of an extremely loyal people, but very sensitive withal, and he feared that any evidence towards what Canada desired might alienate the colony's feelings. He apprehended that Britain's neglect might go a little too far, and considered that a distinct danger existed. Hon. Mr. Bryce and Mr. Morley might believe from their warm reception that Canadians were anti-Chamberlainites, but, declared the speaker, amid much enthusiasm, "if Chamberlain should come to Canada, and I hope he will, he will get such a reception as no Englishman ever got before."

Triumph Will Come.

The guest of honor being introduced, expressed his pleasure at being present. The Chamberlain idea, he declared, was coming more and more into prominence in Britain, and he thought it would very soon carry the day, though he thought another Government would first come into power, its term of office being immediately followed by Chamberlain's triumph. The speaker referred to the general complaint of trade depression prior to Chamberlain's coming forward with his plan, and to the party politics and prejudice which had obscured men's visions and held back support. Further alluding to existing depression and the stubborn adherence to free trade principles, he wound up by saying that he considered that when the vastness and possibilities of Canada were grasped there would be more of a disposition to adopt a "time for a change" attitude.

Another North Sea Disaster.

Hamburg, Nov. 10.—The Thalia and the Neptune, both from Hamburg, have foundered and all hands have been drowned. A severe storm is raging in the North Sea.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia.

COMPLETELY SILENCED

Japs Put Forts On Rihlung and Susung Out of Business.

Main Strength At Port Arthur Now Attacking Etso Mountain—Shells Fall Incessantly and Russians Abandon the Repairs of the Works Protecting the Harbor—After Last Assault Bodies Lay Unburied For Days.

Tokio, Nov. 10.—It is reported that the Japanese have completely silenced the forts on Rihlung and Susung Mountains, and that their main strength is now attacking Etso Mountain.

Continue to Bombard.

Chee Foo, Nov. 10.—The Japanese continue to bombard Port Arthur, and the shells are falling so incessantly that the Russians have practically abandoned the repair of the works protecting the harbor.

Citizen volunteers and the police are now reinforcing the garrisons of the forts, according to the stories of Chinese arriving here.

So many men were killed on both sides during the last assault that many bodies lay unburied for days, and in some instances dogs ate the dead.

The Chinese say that the forts on Golden Hill have done no firing for months past, and it is believed their ammunition has run short.

The demolition of the Chinese new town is almost completed, a thousand homes having been destroyed for the valuable firewood they contained. The town is constantly catching fire and the majority of the warehouses and stores belonging to foreigners have been burned to the ground.

GAMEY AT HOME.

Only Name Put Before Conservative Convention of Manitoba and Received With a Standing Vote.

Gore Bay, Nov. 10.—The Liberal-Conservative convention for the district of Manitoulin was held Tuesday night. Delegates from all parts of the riding were present. Only one name was put before the convention for candidate at the next local election, R. R. Gamey, which was received by a standing vote and round after round of applause. Mr. Gamey gave a short address.

East Peterboro.

Peterboro, Nov. 10.—The Conservatives in the East Riding have nominated County Councillor Henry A. Moore as their standard-bearer. The Liberal candidate will be William Anderson, M.P.P.

Ready in North Park.

Stratford, Nov. 10.—John Brown has again accepted the Liberal nomi-

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nation. His opponent is James Torrance of Milverton, for many years postmaster at that place.

McFadden For the See.

Sault Ste. Marie, Nov. 10.—Moses McFadden is to contest for the Sault Ste. Marie seat in the Legislature, in the Conservative interest. He was chosen as the party candidate at a nomination convention held here last evening.

POLITICAL AFTERMATH.

R. L. Borden and wife left Halifax Wednesday for the Southern States.

Mr. Borden has been offered the seat for which Ed. Kidd of Carleton was elected.

A. B. Aylesworth was not sworn in Wednesday as a member of the Cabinet.

It is rumored in Ottawa that Hon. A. G. Blair will resume the chairmanship of the Railway Commission at an increased salary. He had a conference with the Premier Wednesday.

The Prince Edward Island Legislature has been dissolved. Nominations will be held Nov. 30 and the elections Dec. 7. The last Provincial elections were held Dec. 12, 1900, when 23 Liberals and 7 Conservatives were returned.

ROBIN HOOD'S LOYAL MEN

The members of Court Unity, No. 6900, Ancient Order of Foresters, of this city, are certainly patriotic, as before the regular meeting opened last evening the members all rose to their feet and heartily sang "God Save the King," in honor of His Majesty's 63rd birthday. After the routine and business was over, the second game in the series of League games for the trophy in City Carpet Bowling schedule was played between the K. O. T. M. and Court Unity, resulting in the defeat of the K. O. T. M.'s by one shot. Following is the score in detail:

A. O. F.—No. 1.—F. Robinson, Bert Clements, Pont Taylor, skip—17.

K. O. T. M.—No. 1.—Chas. Moore, John Brown, Alex. Carter, skip—11.

A. O. F.—No. 2.—Isaac Johnson, Albert White, Bert Handysides, skip—10.

K. O. T. M.—No. 2.—Claude Kirby, H. Hudson, Alex. Jacques, skip—15.

Umpire—Chas. W. Baxter. The score was close, as indicated above, and was watched with much interest by the members present.

John Brown won the flower in the individual bowling contest at the same place.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia.

ROOM-MAKING SALE!

One of the largest wholesale houses burnt out at the big fire in Toronto last Spring contracted for a fine new warehouse to be completed in November, but owing to the strikes in Toronto lately, they will not secure full possession of their new premises until January, consequently they had not room for the hundreds of tons of dry goods continually pouring in their present crowded quarters, and had to unload at reduced prices. We took advantage of it, and are offering you the result of our fortunate purchase. Below we give you a few items as an indication of the bargains you may secure.

Sale to Commence Saturday, Nov. 12

DRESS GOODS

- 30 pcs. Dress Goods in Fancy Plake and Nicker Effects, suitable for shirtwaist and tailor suiting, reg. 50c and 60c, sale price, **39c**
- 13 pcs. Fancy Boucle Suiting and Homespins in pretty combination of colors, reg. 75c and 85c, sale price, **54c**
- 15 pcs. Mannish Suitings, English and Scotch, 54 in. wide, reg. \$1.25, sale price, **97c**
- Braid Dress Trimmings, all colors, regular 12 1/2c and 20c, sale price **8c**

FRENCH FLANNEL WAISTINGS

in a variety of colors, reg. 50c and 60c, sale price, **39c**
 Waistings and vestings in White, Pink, Blue, Champagne, Green, Castor, etc, new patterns, worth 25c and 30c, sale price, **18c**

SILKS

- Peau de Soie, stamped every yd, guaranteed, worth \$1.25, sale price, **98c**
- Japan and French Taffeta Silks, all colors, reg. 50c, sale price, **39c**
- Taffetas and Imperial Silk, special at **50c**

CHIFFON COLLAR FRAMES, &c.

- Chiffon Collar Frames in Black and White, all sizes, **5c**
- Ladies' Silk Belts with oxidized or Brass Buckles, girdle back effect, worth 35c to 50c, sale price, **25c**
- Ladies' Handkerchiefs, worth 8c and 10c, sale price, **5c**
- Ladies' Fancy Stock Collars, worth 40c, and 50c, sale price, **25c**
- Tailors' and Dressmakers' 2 ply Tape Lines, price 5c, sale price **2c for 5c**
- Ladies' Flannelette Night Gowns, special at **69c, 75c, 98c, \$1.19**
- Ladies' and Children's Mitts at special prices.

HOSE, UNDERWEAR, GLOVES, &c

- 50 dozen heavy Ribbed Worsted Hose, all sizes, 6 to 10, reg. value 30 and 35c, sale price, **25c**
- Special value in Ladies', Children, Men and Boys' Underwear.
- Very special value in Ladies' Underwear at **35c**
- Men's Black Cashmere Socks, all sizes, reg. 35c, for **25c**
- An odd lot of Cashmere Gloves, worth 25c, sale price, **15c**
- Silk Lined Cashmere Gloves, **25c**
- Special lot of **Lace Curtains** at 25 per cent. less than regular prices

COTTONS, LINENS, TO WELING, BLANKETS, &c

- Factory Cottons, clean round thread, worth 6c, sale price, **5c**
- 40 in. real fine Factory Cotton, reg. value 9c, sale price, **7 1-2c**
- 32 in. good heavy Flannelette in bright and dark colors, regular 8c, sale price, **6c**
- 28 in. Flannel worth 7c, for **5c**
- Very special values in Flannelette at **8c** and **10c**
- 15 pcs. **Wrapperettes** worth 12 1/2c for **8c**
- Towelings**, regular value 7c, for **5c**
- " " " " 10c, for **8 1-2c**
- Grey Flannels**, 25 in., nice soft quality, reg. 15c for 12 1-2c
- Special values at **19c and 23c**
- Table Linens**, Belfast Manufacture, splendid round thread, pure linen, 66 in., good value at 60c, sale price, **45c**. Reg. 30c quality **25c**
- Table Cloths and Napkins**, in weavers' seconds, very slight imperfections, 25 per cent. less than value.
- Cotton Blankets**, 90c, \$1.10, \$1.43; Wool, 82.25 to 85

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