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CONSERVATIVE SLOGAN

"A Government Owned Railway Not a Railway Owned Government."

R. L. Borden, the Conservative Leader, Makes a Great Speech in Massey Hall, Toronto, to an Enormous Audience—Summary of His Deliverance in Paragraphs That Furnish Food for Reflection by Every Elector of Canada.

Toronto, Oct. 5.—"A Government owned railway not a railway owned Government," was the battle cry given by Mr. R. L. Borden, the Conservative leader at the great meeting held here in Massey Hall last night. The body of the great house was filled with men, and in the balconies there was a large gathering of women. The stage was appropriately decorated with flags and suitable mottoes, the principal one being that quoted stretched across the entire stage. The band of the 48th Highlanders aroused enthusiasm by rendering appropriate selections before the speaking began.

Cheers for the Leaders.
When Dr. Nesbitt, the chairman, appeared at the head of a line of distinguished Conservatives, including in this order, R. L. Borden, J. P. Whitney, E. B. Osler, Hon. Geo. E. Foster, A. E. Kemp, Rev. Dr. Wild and W. R. Brock, the audience burst into cheers. The cheering was prolonged and gained strength as the minutes passed. Several times

GOOD WORK HAS BEGUN

Thorough Organization is Completed by Local Liberal-Conservatives.

Splendid Rally at Northwood's Hall Last Evening—Spirited Addresses and Much Enthusiasm.

The local Liberal-Conservatives held a splendid rally last night in Northwood's Hall. There was a big crowd present and everybody was very enthusiastic. The Liberal-Conservatives are anxious for the election; are eager for the contest.

Dr. Thornton presided in his own happy and breezy way. He said that the Grits knew the power of ridicule and were attempting to use it against H. S. Clements. The Doctor pointed out that the Liberals were getting somewhat frightened when they found it necessary to adopt such tactics and this was a good sign.

Dr. Thornton called attention to the fact that the enemy were following out their usual tactics of belittling our representation, but as he pointed out that intellectually, morally, physically and in all other respects H. S. Clements was the equal to and superior of the Reform representation. The cry that he was a young man was strength rather than weakness. That he is a clerk is no disgrace nor is it a disgrace that

KILLED WOOD IN A WINK

Two Bricks Fell 40 Feet On Unfortunate Man's Head.

Man Was Employed to Drive Horse Used to Drive Bricks and Mortar to the Top of the Westinghouse Company's Tall Chimney in Hamilton—Death Was Instantaneous—Married Only Last Labor Day—Other Accidents.

Hamilton, Oct. 5.—Arthur Wood, 149 Kinrade avenue, was killed at the Westinghouse Company's new factory last evening a few minutes before 6 o'clock. He was employed as driver of the horse that was used to hoist bricks and mortar to a chimney that is being erected. The bucket knocked two bricks off the top of the chimney, and they fell 40 feet on to the unfortunate man's head, so it is supposed, for no one saw the mishap. He was killed instantly. The dead man was about 25 years of age. He was married only last Labor Day. George Smith, another workman who was on a scaffold at the time of the accident, got excited and fell on his head ten feet to a cement floor. He had to be taken to the City Hospital.

Killed At a Quarry.
Winnipeg, Oct. 5.—At Stoney Mountain stone quarry yesterday, William Sharp, manager, was instantly killed by falling beneath a loaded stone car. He leaves a grown-up family.

Factory Bellows Blows Up.
Aylmer, Oct. 5.—The boiler of the Lyons cheese factory blew up yesterday morning while taking in milk.

A VOTE FOR GEO. STEPHENS MEANS A VOTE FOR A BONUS BY THE COUNTY OF KENT OF \$796,650.

The Hon. Mr. Blair, the only practical Railway man in the Laurier Cabinet, put the total cost to Canada of the building of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway at \$139,000,000. This was before further concessions to the big corporation were made by the Laurier Government in 1904. The population of the Dominion at the last census was 5,371,315 and dividing this into \$139,000,000 the cost per head of population is \$25.87. That is, every man, woman and child in Canada will contribute this amount directly or indirectly to the big railroad corporation for the carrying out of this mad scheme. On this basis Electors of the County of Kent are asked to vote this bonus of \$25.87 per head, or, according to population in the County of Kent, \$796,650.00 for the county. A vote for George Stephens is a vote for this great corporation bonus for a railway 600 miles to the north of us. ARE YOU VOTING FOR THIS BIG BONUS?

The tumult ceased, only to be revived when the chairman, Dr. Nesbitt, stepped forward promptly at 8 o'clock, to open the proceedings. His remarks were very brief, and as the chief was introduced by E. B. Osler the audience in great part rose to its feet. Mr. Borden was undoubtedly pleased with the welcome. Two or three times he attempted to start, when the cheering was renewed. Mr. Borden's address occupied two hours and covered all the topics prominently before the electors.

MR. BORDEN'S POINTS.

Summarized, Mr. Borden made these very clear points in the course of his speech: "Laurier and the Larger Canada" is the watchword The Globe has given. I have been under the impression that Canada is a little bit smaller than it was when he took up the Government of this country. The true motto should be "Laurier and the Larger United States."

The Railway Situation.

We have given to railways no less than \$228,500,000, or \$13,500 for every mile of railway we have; and we have given no less than 60,000,000 acres of land or 3,500 acres a mile. The total capitalization of the 19,000 miles of railway is \$900,000,000.

If our resources are to be developed, it is necessary that we should have not only a national policy in fiscal matters but a national policy in transportation matters as well. I have not one word to say against the Grand Trunk Railway directors for making the best bargain they can; they are trustees for their shareholders. But the Government of Canada should have seen to it that \$150,000,000 of the people's money did not go to build up American ports.

A Telling Contrast.

I have said that the direct liability of this country in respect to this railway is between \$150,000,000 and \$171,000,000, including \$6,000,000 for the Quebec bridge. The total financial liability of the Grand Trunk is a guarantee of bonds to the extent of \$14,500,000.

We are partners of the Grand Trunk in this project. We supply nine-tenths of the capital and the G. T. R. supplies one-tenth, but what is the division of the profits? It would be better for the people of Canada.

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he was raised on a farm and still farms. From a business standpoint he has succeeded and has invested his money in business ventures that are an advantage to the City and Council.

Ward Stanworth spoke on organization and favored ward committees.

T. A. Smith made up the crowd and pointed address which was well received.

Nelson Bechard spoke of the bright prospects in Dover.

C. W. Raymond gave some of his experiences at Mitchell's Bay. They were most encouraging.

H. S. Clements was received with cheers. He gave a very encouraging report.

John Sissons offered his house for No. 1 ward committee.

John Darling favored having ward committees.

Ward Stanworth moved, seconded by Wendall Wilson, that a room be where they could organize each division of that ward.—The motion carried.

Dr. Thornton spoke heartily re the labor vote. It was with Mr. Borden.

Ward Stanworth moved that the chairman and secretary of each city ward division work with the county organization.—Carried.

S. B. Arnold urged systematic co-operation among the members of the Conservative party. Mr. Arnold gave some good advice as to registration.

A splendid and spirited address from Warren Lambert followed.

The ward committees, except Ward 2, will meet to-night, as follows:—

Ward 1.—John Sissons, corner of Witherspoon and William Sts.

Ward 2.—John Darling's workshop, Queen St., (Thursday night).

Ward 3.—Central committee room.

Ward 4.—Henry Robinson's office.

Ward 5.—Mrs. Ingall's store, on St. Clair St., next Edmondson's butcher shop.

Completes Alaskan Telegraph System.

Washington, Oct. 5.—Gen. Greely has received a despatch from Major Edgar Russell of the Signal Corps, announcing that the Burnside, which has been engaged in laying a cable from Valdez, Alaska, buoyed the eastern cable end at the mouth of Sitka Harbor, on Monday afternoon. It will require several days to make the shore connections in the narrow passage of Sitka Harbor, and throw open the cable to commercial business. This completes the Alaska telegraph system, which has been under construction for the past three years.

wrecking the engine room and other out-buildings. No one was hurt. The factory will have to be closed until a new boiler is installed.

Wrecks Off Newfoundland.

St. John's Nfld., Oct. 5.—The French fishing schooner Alliance has been totally wrecked at Trepassay. Her crew of 15 had only left the vessel five minutes when she sank. The French fishing schooner George Paul is ashore at Port au Port, and will be a total wreck. Her crew were 36 hours in boats before they could reach a place of safety. It is feared that other wrecks will be reported when news of the gale is received from more remote sections.

Wheat Averages Well.

Winnipeg, Oct. 5.—The weekly crop report of the C.P.R. issued yesterday contains a full list of averages of wheat per acre as far as threshing can show. The report is favorable. The averages for the majority of districts where threshing is well under way run from 15 to 20 and 23 bushels. Yellow Grass on Portal section records the highest figures, 44 bushels. No. 1 northern Monday brought the farmers from 88c. to 90c. per bushel.

Martins Go For Trial.

Toronto, Oct. 5.—Alexander John Martin and his wife Ethel Martin were yesterday morning committed for trial at the November Assizes on the charge of murdering their infant near Coatsworth's Cut. Owing to the strong chain of circumstantial evidence which has been woven around the prisoners, the alleged confession of Ethel Martin will not be used.

Store and Residence Burned.

Oxford Mills, Oct. 5.—The store and residence of John Davis was burned to the ground early yesterday morning, the family barely escaping with their lives.

Becomes An Inspector.

Regina, Oct. 5.—Charles Fisher, M.P.P. for Batoche, tendered his resignation yesterday morning to accept the inspectorship of Carleton Indian Agency.

Hay Stacks Burned.

Brockville, Oct. 5.—Early yesterday morning six stacks of hay on the farm of George McLean, six miles east of Brockville, were destroyed by fire.

Ladies

You like nice Stationery don't you?

There is a new kind in the market just received from Old England. It is called **English Cambric Linen**, in three shades, white, grey, sky, with Coronet cut Envelopes to match. It is the swellest line we have ever had, and that is saying a good deal. The price is within reach of all 15c a quire or 2 quires for 25c. A nice way to buy it for a trial is 24 sheets paper and 25 envelopes for 25c.

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JAIL STATISTICS

Some Facts and Figures in Regard to the Chatham Jail and its Inmates During the Past Year.

The jail year ends on Sept. 30th and the returns for the year are then figured up in the Sheriff's office. This has been done for the year just closed, and the figures are interesting. Just 130 persons were committed to jail during the year, 122 men and eight women. Of that number 11 were under 16 years of age. Apparently the Chatham girls are better than the Chatham boys, for of the eleven only one was a girl. Apparently the punishment meted out under the statutes is sufficient and answers the purposes of not only deterring some from crime, but also having a curative effect on first offense criminals. While 119 were committed for the first time only 10 were second offense persons and only one was a third. This is a satisfactory feature. Nine were given another chance and released on suspended sentence.

In the matter of nationality, the Scotch had two representatives. The English and the Irish had this beaten by one, but the only female in the three nationalities was a Scotch woman. Canada furnished 96 of the criminals and the United States 25. In religious, the Methodists had 36. They led. While of the other denominations classified the Presbyterians had the fewest representatives, with 15. Marriage seems to have a good effect, as 50 of the prisoners were married, while 80 were single.

Whiskey didn't seem to be the cause of all the crime, as 95 were reported temperate and 35 intemperate. Following are the statistics for the year ending Sept. 30th, 1904, the first figures being the number of males, second the females, and third the total—
Number of prisoners in custody Sept. 30, 1903—2, 0, 2.
Committed during year ending Sept. 30, 1904—122, 8, 130.
Committed during previous year—108, 8, 116.
Under 16 years of age—10, 1, 11.
Over 16 years of age—112, 7, 119.
Committed for first time—111, 8, 119.
Committed for second time—10, 0, 10.
Committed for third time—1, 0, 1.
Committed of unsound mind—4, 0, 4.
Acquitted on trial—54, 2, 56.
Discharged by court or judge—6, 0, 6.
Discharged on suspended sentence—7, 2, 9.
Awaiting trial 30th September, 1904—1, 1, 2.
Sent to Central Prison—19, 0, 19.
Sent to Mercer Reformatory—0, 2, 2.
Sent to Penitentiary—3, 0, 3.
Sent to Reformatory for Boys—2, 0, 2.
Sentenced to imprisonment in jail—26, 0, 26.
Sentenced to periods under 30 days—20, 0, 20.
Sentenced to periods between 30 and 60 days—2, 0, 2.
Sentenced to periods between 2 and 3 months—2, 1, 3.
Sentenced to periods between 5 and 6 months—8, 2, 10.
Sentenced to periods between 6 and 9 months—3, 0, 3.
Sentenced to periods between 9 and 12 months—5, 0, 5.
Sentenced to one year and up to two years—1, 0, 1.
Sentenced to two years and upwards—3, 0, 3.
Acquitted at County Judge's Court—9, 0, 9.
Convicted and sentenced at Judge's Court—9, 0, 9.
Prisoners whose maintenance was paid by government—44, 2, 46.
Prisoners whose maintenance was paid by county—78, 6, 84.
Days government prisoners were in custody—531, 8, 539.
Days county prisoners were in custody—791, 116, 907.

NATIONALITIES.
Canadian—91, 5, 96.
English—3, 0, 3.
Irish—3, 0, 3.
Scotch—1, 1, 2.
United States—23, 2, 25.
Other countries—1, 0, 1.

DENOMINATIONS.
Roman Catholic—25, 1, 26.
Church of England—21, 1, 22.
Presbyterian—13, 1, 14.
Methodist—38, 2, 40.
Other denominations—27, 2, 29.
Number prisoners married—47, 3, 50.
Number prisoners unmarried—75, 5, 80.
Number prisoners could not read or write—9, 0, 9.
Number prisoners reported temperate—88, 7, 95.
Number prisoners reported intemperate—34, 1, 35.
Number wards in jail—5, 2, 7.
Number cells in jail—31, 7, 38.
Greatest number prisoners in jail at one time—12, 2, 14.
Number in jail 30th September, 1904—3, 1, 6.

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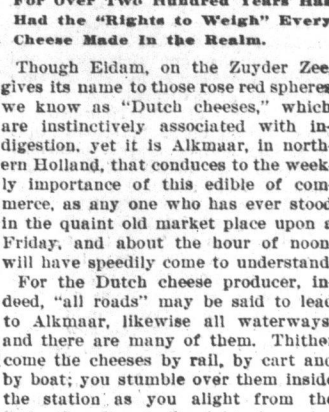
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They have fully protected their process with patents in all parts of the world. The success of these inventors and the possibilities that it offers has caused widespread discussion throughout the country and it is proposed that the N.S.W. Government shall obtain the patents and make it a Government monopoly.
It is proposed that the New South Wales Government shall pay to the inventors the lump sum of \$1,000,000 for the rights to the invention and then that ironmasters throughout Australia shall be licensed on a royalty to manufacture.
It is also proposed that the right to use the process shall be let to ironmasters in different parts of the world, but that in the case of works outside of this country a differential royalty shall be charged at about \$5 per ton, to equalize the higher rate of wages paid in Australia.
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Toronto, Oct. 5.—11 a. m.—Showery to-day, high northwesterly winds to-night, becoming cooler again. Thursday, strong northwest winds, fair and decidedly cool.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

The Chatham customs department took in over \$22,000 to-day. The larger share of this was duty received from the Lake Erie for coal.

Lost! A locket and chain, with 13 pearls on one side of the locket and initials on the other side. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at Bragg & O'Neill's.

The first meeting of the Philharmonic Society will be held to-morrow evening in Northwood's Hall. Every member and all interested are invited to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. McIsaac and Mrs. T. D. Niven were examined for discovery to-day in the slander suit of Niven vs. McIsaac. The case will probably be tried this fall. O. L. Lewis for plaintiff, M. Houston contra.

Letters of administration to the estates of the late Annie Porter and the late Mary Leverton, both of Zone, have been granted to ex-Warden Arthur Leverton.

SUNSHINERS

The Sunshine Society, one of the Maple City societies which is doing a magnificent and telling work among the poor of the city, met Monday afternoon in Mrs. George Heyward's parlors, Victoria Block.

There was a good attendance and much interest was taken in arranging the work for the coming season. It was decided to hold a cooking sale a week from Saturday.

This Society is one of the best charitable associations in the Maple City, and in the past they have fully carried out the idea suggested by their name, in scattering sunshine into the homes of many of Chatham's poor and needy. This year they have started to work with renewed vigor and enthusiasm and under the management of their capable officers they should give a good account of themselves, and there is no doubt that they will. The following are the officers of the Society this year:

President—Mrs. Geo. S. Heyward,
Vice-Pres.—Mrs. (Dr.) R. V. Bray,
Secretary—Miss Vera Heyward,
Treasurer—Miss Edith Holmes.

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Marie Wainwright as Viola in "The Twelfth Hour," is announced for Wednesday, November 2nd, and "Away Down East" will be here on Friday, November 4th.

Chatham people know and appreciate good companies for the Grand, and there is no doubt but that the theatre will be taxed to its capacity for all Mr. Small's bookings, showing appreciation for his efforts. Other announcements will be made shortly.

WORLD OF SPORT

BOWLING

Dr. J. L. Bray and L. E. Tillson were the opposing rinks in the game yesterday in the button bowling competition. Dr. Bray was the winner by a score of 23-7. The game was an interesting one and was witnessed by a large number of spectators.

The following were the rinks:—
G. J. Peace, Mr. Merritt, Mr. Fleming, and Dr. Bray, skip, 23.
A. H. VonGunten, E. Housie, D. J. McDonald, and L. E. Tillson, skip, 7.

CURIOS CALENDARS.

Ancient time-keeping has received new light from two remarkable stones lately unearthed by the German explorers on the site of the old Ionic port of Miletus. These stones are the remains of calendars, of which one is shown to date from 109 A. D. The year was divided into twelve zodiacal signs, and against each month the motion of the remaining signs was given, with a note predicting the weather. On the left side were thirty holes, a wooden peg being moved forward one hole each day, thus giving the astronomical date. This new find has made clear the meaning of parapegma, or peg-calendar, a name by which other stones have been rather mysteriously known.

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PEACE CONGRESS.
Hopes Expressed For Many Treaties of Arbitration.

Boston, Oct. 5.—At the first formal meeting of the Peace Congress, Edwin D. Mead of Boston, welcomed the delegates on behalf of the American Peace Society. In responding, Robert Treat Paine, the president-elect, expressed the hope that treaties of arbitration would soon be consummated between America and England, America and Germany, and America and France, indeed, between all nations of the world.

The report of the International Peace Bureau of 1903, stated that the society had on several occasions attempted to induce Russia and Japan to have recourse to a friendly solution of the conflict. The moment might not be far off when the belligerents would listen to the voice of reason. Should the intervention of the powers be rejected it might be necessary to use coercion and an efficacious means would be to close their exchequers to new war loans. No action was taken yesterday on the report.

A memorial signed by 634 citizens of Australia was presented, setting forth the horrors of war and hoping that peace would ultimately prevail. The convention will meet again to-day.

DRINK AND SMOKE BILL.
Consumption of Liquors and Tobacco On Increase in Canada.

Ottawa, Oct. 5.—Comparing the record of the fiscal year ending June 30, with that of the previous twelve months, the consumption of spirits, beer and tobacco in Canada has increased. The total consumption of spirits last year was 5,343,954 gallons, yielding a revenue of \$11,145,938. The consumption of beer was 27,608,518 gallons, and the revenue \$1,264,226. Of wine, 537,044 gallons were consumed, from which \$286,458 was derived. At the shrine of "My Lady Nicotine," 15,521,002 pounds of tobacco, cigars and cigarettes were offered up, and the resultant revenue was \$5,853,124. Putting it in percentage, Canadians consumed 962 gallons of spirits, as compared with 870 gallons for the year previous; 4,712 gallons of beer, as compared with 4,712 gallons the year previous; 4,918 gallons of beer, compared with the same figure the year previous; 2,765 pounds of tobacco, cigars and cigarettes, as compared with 2,548 for the year previous.

Canadian National Exhibition.

Toronto, Oct. 5.—At a meeting of the exhibition board, held yesterday afternoon, an interim statement was given out, showing a handsome surplus as a result of the last show. The figures presented were:

Total receipts.....	\$172,838.66
Total expenses.....	132,630.10
Balance profit.....	\$40,208.56

From the profits the board expect to hand over to the city, in addition to the money the association has expended upon new buildings, cash to the amount of about \$33,000.

A comparison of the receipts with other years shows:

1901.....	\$108,368
1901.....	80,709
1902.....	107,729
1903.....	162,068
1904.....	172,838

The dates of next year's exhibition have been fixed from Saturday, Aug. 26, to Sept. 11.

Balfour's Definite Approval.

London, Oct. 5.—The Morning Post says there can be no doubt whatever as to the results of the conference proposed by Premier Balfour. His announcement of his views is the most important incident in the recent history of the Imperial movement. It carries with it his definite approval of Mr. Chamberlain's policy and makes it possible for every Minister, if he likes, to advocate Mr. Chamberlain's views and pledges the Unionist party to the policy of Imperial consolidation whatever changes in the fiscal policy of the country may be necessary.

France-Spanish Treaty.

Paris, Oct. 5.—The Foreign Office expects the signing of the treaty between France and Spain relative to Morocco within a few days. The agreement will supplement the Anglo-French treaty, whereby France secured permanent authority in Morocco. It is understood that Spain retains certain of her territorial and commercial rights in Northern Morocco.

Dis Aged 100 Years.

Brockville, Oct. 5.—Mrs. Emily Wood, widow of the late Amos Wood, died in the 100th year of her age at her home in Delta, about 24 miles from here, on Saturday of last week. She was born in London, England, on Jan. 13, 1805, and came to Canada when 13 years of age.

U.S. Postmaster-General Dead.

Washington, Oct. 5.—Postmaster-General Payne is dead. The following official bulletin was issued by the physicians: "The Postmaster-General died at 6.10 p.m. He died peacefully, without a struggle. Cause of death, disease of the mitral valve and dilation of the heart."

Bartholdi Dead.

Paris, Oct. 5.—Frederick Auguste Bartholdi, the sculptor, designer of the Statue of Liberty in New York Harbor, died at 8 o'clock yesterday morning from tuberculosis. He designed his own tombstone.

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THE MARKETS

The market on the square this morning was very small. There was not much produce of any kind offered, but was offered sold readily.

The following is the price list:—

IN THE SHEEDS.
Eggs, per dozen, 16c to 18c.
Butter, per pound, 19c to 20c.
Chickens, each, 25c to 40c.
Ducks, each, 35c to 40c.

VEGETABLES.
Cucumbers, per dozen, 10c.
Carrots, per bunch, 15c.
Beets, per peck, 15c.
Tomatoes, per bushel, 60c.
Cabbage, each, 3c. to 5c.
Green corn, per dozen, 8c.
Cauliflowers, each, 10c.
Summer squash, 2 for 5c.
Celery, per bunch, 15c.
Onions, per peck, 25c.
Pears, per basket, 20c.
Grapes, per basket, 15c to 25c.
Musk melons, each, 10c to 20c.
Plums, per basket, 50c to 90c.
Quinces, per pk., 20c.
Egg plants, each, 10c.
Apples, per peck, 10c.
Peaches, basket, 40c to \$1.00.

Another Soap Bargain

Two weeks ago we had a very successful sale of fancy soaps at 5c. per cake.

Now we are offering a two-pound bar of green castile soap for 15c.

At its regular price of 25c, it is good value, at 15c. a genuine bargain.

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No telephone orders accepted.

October Sale **October Sale**
Blankets and Flannels

BLANKET BUYERS—
Are beginning to get busy. There is a chill in the air these evenings that suggests an ice glen or some similar cold storage proposition. If you'd be ready with your blankets betimes, let us suggest these good kinds and fairly priced—

AT \$2.50 A PAIR—
Of soft wool filling, cotton warp, fancy pink and brown borders, unshrinkable, 60 x 80 inches, 5 lbs.

AT \$3.00 A PAIR—
Long staple wool filling, cotton warp, very fine weave, looks just like a \$4.00 blanket, soft make, double bed size, fancy pink borders, 60 x 80 inches, 6 lbs.

AT \$3.75 A PAIR—
Soft spongy wool warp and filling, extra heavy, nice clean yarns, pink borders, 62 x 82 inches, 7 lbs.

AT \$4.75 A PAIR—
Extra heavy long yarns, pure wool, lofty finish, thoroughly scoured, unshrinkable, light blue borders, 64 x 84 inches, 8 lbs.

AT \$5.50 A PAIR—
Alexandria blanket, made of the best Canadian wool, very soft spongy finish, pink, blue and tan mixed borders, 68 x 86 inches, 8 lbs.

FLANNELS—ALL KINDS—
We're ready now to show you nearly everything in high-grade flannels and waistics, both foreign and home manufacture.

25c A YARD—
For 27 inch fancy striped shirting flannels, light colors, unshrinkable, extra fine, washable.

27 and 28 inch plain grey flannels, light or dark shades, plain or twilled high grade quality, regular 35c, special per yard 25c

NAVY BLUE FLANNELS—
For children's blouses, waists, or undergarments, plain or twilled, Indigo dye, pure wool, per yard 35c, and 40c

LIGHT GREY OR FAWN FLANNELS
For fine undergarments, Scotch make, very choice goods, per yard 35c and 38c

50c A YARD—
For French flannel waistics, best quality cloth, in spots, plain stripes, anchor and exclusive fancy designs.

WHITE SAXONY FLANNELS—
For infants' wear, 25c, 40c and 50c

CREAM OPERA FLANNELS—
For waists, infant's wear, etc., unshrinkable, 38c, 50c, and 60c

Closely in touch with the Fall Fashions are the **New Jackets**

of which we show a remarkably interesting gathering for women and children. Numerous new Features are remarked. Tourist Coats in quiet mixtures are highly popular, while the fitted coat with belt and new sleeve is a favored design in plain colors.

For girls' reefers of navy blue cheviot, with new sleeve and cape trimmed with piping, lined and small buttons—
For 6 years of age, \$3.25.
For 12 years of age, \$4.25.

Usters of navy and white, fine mixtures, with double cape, full sleeve, pleated into plain blue cuffs, collar, cape and piping, and buttons, lined—
From size for 2 years old at \$4.25.
To size for 10 years old at \$6.50.

Girls' ulsters, plain, brown, or navy, lined throughout, collar, cape and cuffs trimmed with strapping and stitching—
For 6 years old, \$6.50.
For 10 years old, \$7.50.

\$5.00 ladies' fitted jackets of black or navy, beaver, double breasted, finished with stitching, lined throughout with mercerized sateen.

\$6.50—Of black cheviot with cape trimmed with braid and buttons; lined.

\$9.00—Of grey, brown, or navy with full white mixture, fitted back, straight front, shoulders are finished with cape shaped to waist line and strapped.

\$10.00—Tourist coat of black and white, full sleeve, darted above cuffs, collar, belt and cuffs finished with braid.

\$10.00—Ladies' fitted jacket, straight front, side pleat from shoulders belted, sleeves, cuffs, pleats and belt piped with silk or satin.

\$16.50—Of black wool kersey, double breasted, loose back, belted, trimmed with broad stitched straps.

\$16.50—Three-quarter length, back pleated and belted, full sleeve darted to cuffs; plaid facings.

House Furnishings

Those of our customers who find their way to the Furniture and Carpet section are greatly impressed with the breadth of assortment and the stock they see displayed there. No other store in Chatham offers so carefully selected an assortment of Furniture, Carpets and Draperies as may be seen in this store's Furniture and Carpet Department.

Your special attention is directed to this offering of Parlor Suites and Reed Chairs.

5 piece Parlor Suites, polished mho-nized birch frames, upholstered in rich velour covers, assorted patterns price only \$18.00.

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Sample Suite—5 pieces, mahogany finish frames, upholstered in fine silk tapestry, spring edge and plush bands on seats and backs, special now only \$27.50

Other Parlor Suites in stock in prices up to \$85 or made to your order at a price to suite.

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HISTORY SIDE OF WAR

**PROF. M'CURDY, OF TORONTO UNI-
VERSITY, GIVES MUCH DATA.**

Asks His Audience to Choose Between Pagan God of War and Christian Prince of Peace—Contrast Between Israel and Moab—The Prophet's Ideal Was Dis-tinctly One of Peace—The Present Day Application.

At the great peace meeting of the recent Friends' Conference in Toron-to, Prof. McCurdy of Toronto Uni-versity stated that he wished to deal with the historical side of his sub-ject, "Religion and War." The Song of Miriam, he said, in which the line occurs, "The Lord is a man of war, the Lord of Hosts is His name," was paralleled in the great hymn of the first Tiglath-Pileser, the Bible mon-arch being the third of the name. Tiglath-Pileser had lived 1200 B.C., and erected a monument to Ashur, the king of gods and men; Shamash, Judge of Heaven and earth; Raman, the hero who overthrows his ene-mies; Adar, and Ishitar, the queen of war. The inscription showed that the spirit of the time in this respect was distinctly pagan, and the "Books of the Wars of Jehovah," of which a part remained, were in the same spirit. The Old Testament historians thought Jah a stronger God than Chemosh of Moab, but they knew by the Meabite stone that the Moabites thought their God stronger than Jah of Israel. A change came with the advent of the prophets. In Isaiah X, the great King of Assyria, claim-ed his conquests, "By my might and by my wisdom," and presented an early type of aggressive imperialism. Habakkuk had a picture of a great king of Babylon, but addressed a God "of purer eyes" than did the pagan monarch. The prophets had introduced a new set of terms. Peace, truth, righteous-ness, justice, loving kindness, were new words, or had different meanings than of old. Prof. McCurdy traced the development of the idea of peace, which was the saluam of the present



PROFESSOR M'CURDY.
east, and at first meant complete-ness, then contentment, and came to express the completeness of one's re-lations with some one else, and finally in a noble way came to mean satisfactory relations with outside communities. In the second chapter of Isaiah they had the splendid con-ception that "nation shall not lift sword against nation, and the earth shall learn war no more." The war god in contrast to this ideal was a pagan Moloch, to whom deluded Christian parents still sacrificed their children. The soldiers' oath was but the Roman sacramentum, and all wars now were undertaken to spread righteousness. The first Emperor William of Germany had been "pious beyond the verge of unctuousness" in undertaking the Franco-Prussian war, though Bismarck had schemed for nine years to bring it about, and was absolutely pagan in his international policy.

Prof. McCurdy regretted that the soldiers could not receive the gospel without refurbishing up their accoutrements for a Sunday parade and hav-ing a special minister set apart to preach to them. There was the only trade honored by a Sunday celebra-tion. The Spartans of old, when they wanted to slaughter the defence-less helots, formally declared war against them; and Prof. McCurdy found a parallel in this for the killing of 600 Thibetans who were re-ported to have been "slain like sheep."

Great Britain had been the great-est sinner, but not the worst in "re-moving the boundaries of the na-tions," against which the prophet in-veighed. He thought the United States would be the greatest moral power in the world if without delay she took steps to set free the Philip-pines.

Three factors were making for the ending of war; the progress of the arbitration idea; the fact that na-tions, armed to the teeth, were afraid of the result; and the fact that shame was beginning to creep into the heart of the militarist. No true patriot and no true Christian could be a militarist. He joined with the poet who sought the God of Peace:

"I found Him in the shining of the stars;
I marked Him in the flowering of the field;
But in the ways of man I found Him not."

Useless Buttons.
Why are there two buttons, or ev-en one, on the sleeve of a coat? The writer took a census of his buttons and found that sixty of them were unnecessary. He is particularly anx-ious as to the two buttons behind on a frock coat. Taking a survey of the whole human family, he finds that there are 800,000,000 buttons worn, all of them useless. No one has discovered the necessity for four-teen or sixteen pockets concealed in men's clothes. This is the limit of superfluity.

AN EDITOR'S EXPERIENCE

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"A tumor came on my neck and in a day or two it was as large as half an orange. I was very much alarmed for fear it was malignant. My friends tried to persuade me to consult my physician, but dreading that he would insist on using the knife, I would not consent to go. Instead, I got Cuticura Resolvent and Cuticura Ointment. I took the former according to direc-tions, and spread a thick layer of the Ointment on the swelling. On renew-ing it I would bathe my neck in very warm water and Cuticura Soap. In a few days the Cuticura Ointment had drawn the swelling to a head, when it broke. Every morning it was opened with a large sterilized needle, squeezed and bathed, and fresh Ointment put on. Pus and blood, and a yellow, cheesy, tumorous matter came out. In about three or four weeks' time this treatment completely eliminated the tumor. The soreness that had ex-isted down into my chest was all gone, and my neck now seems to be perfectly well."

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The Color of Man.
The color of the skin in the various races of man has never yet been sci-entifically accounted for, although num-erous mythical stories have been told and senseless theories advanced as rea-sons for the remarkable variations in hue. Nor have we any certain data concerning the color of the cuticle of the primate man, the original "lord of creation." A pretty African legend told that he was as black as the proverbial ace of spades and that the present pale color of the Caucasian race is the result of the scar God gave Adam at the time of the fall.

It is proper to state here that the same legend says that the present black race are descendants of one of Adam's sons that was born and left Eden before the great change in color overtaken our first parents. The Chi-nese believe that the original man was a creature half god and half man and that his color came about as a result of bathing in a river of liquid gold. The Mussulmans, the American In-dians and several oriental tribes and nations account for their prevailing red or copper color by telling the story of the Great Being creating the first pair from red kaolin, the common fire clay of the potter shops.

"LIFE PLANT" OF JAMAICA.

There is a creeping moss found in Jamaica, in Barbadoes, and in the islands of the West Indies, which is called the "life tree," or more prop-erly the "life plant." Its powers of vitality are said to be beyond those of any other plant. It is absolutely indestructible by any other means except immersion in boiling water or application of a red hot iron. It may be cut up and divided in any manner, and the smallest shreds will throw out roots, grow, and form buds. The leaves of this extraordi-nary plant have been placed in a closed air-tight, dark box, without moisture of any sort, and still they grew.

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Mrs. Jones has gone through the ex-perience of thousands of others. She has suffered as millions of patient women are suffering all over the world until they find the proper rem-edy. Mrs. Jones found it in Bu-Ju, the Kidney Pill, and naturally feels like telling her friends and the public gen-erally of the benefit she received so that they too may be cured.

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SULTAN OF MOROCCO

**MULAI ABDUL AZIZ AND THE PERDI-
CARIS CASE.**

The Sultan's Brief Reign Has Been Full of Turmoil—He Would Like to Rule His Subjects Better Than They Will Permit—Although Theoretically He Has Abso-lute Power in His Realm.

His sheeran majesty Mulai Abdul Aziz, the Sultan of Morocco, who has come into prominence in con-nection with the capture by bandits of an American citizen named Ion Perdicaris, is a monarch of progressive tendencies who does not get as much chance to reign as he would like in spite of his theoretically absolute powers. The Sultan's authority does not seem to be respected in all parts of his realm. If it were, the kidnapping of Perdicaris and his stepson, Cromwell Varley, an Eng-lish subject, could not have occur-red. But there are parts of Morocco where the word of the brigand chief is more weighty than the decrees of the Sultan, and, though the latter is



MULAI ABDUL AZIZ, SULTAN OF MOROCCO.

addressed in terms implying that his every whim must be obeyed as a command from heaven, it appears that he is tied down by the tradi-tions of his court and the influences of his courtiers, so that his good intentions as a monarch are to a large degree frustrated.

In the feudal age of Europe brig-andage was a very profitable means though more or less perilous means of livelihood. Morocco is one of the countries where it still flourishes in its pristine vigor, and the advisers of the Sultan, who like to have things jog along in about the old way, are averse to any energetic measures looking to its suppression.

Abdul Aziz is a clever sort of young fellow in his way. He likes foreigners and in their company is fond of being democratic and omitting many of the punctilious cere-monies which must ordinarily be ob-served in intercourse with His Ma-jesty. He likes particularly to amuse himself at a game of billiards with some foreigner whom he has admitted to terms of intimacy, and he can handle a cue with some skill. His liking for foreigners and his desire to promote trade with foreign coun-tries are not approved by the Moors, and there is always a good deal of scheming going on to thwart the progressive ideas of the ruler. The feeling against foreigners is so strong that they are practically kept out of the capital, Fez, altogether.

Ion Perdicaris, who was seized and carried away to the mountains by the brigand chief, Raisuli, and his band, is of Greek parentage, but American birth. His stepson, Cromwell Varley, who was taken off with him, was born in Great Britain. Morocco is a picturesque country and on this account is sought by artists in spite of the inconveniences of residence there. Perdicaris has done work both as artist and author, and his



ION PERDICARIS.

tastes in this direction led him to make his home in the country de-spite its being so badly governed and behind the times. He has a residence in the outskirts of Tangier, a beau-tiful structure of Moorish architec-ture, which was once one of the many palaces of the Sultan.

Mulai Abdul Aziz came to the throne of Morocco about ten years ago as a boy of fifteen, and during his reign he has had either domestic or international complications on his hands most of the time. He speaks the Arabic tongue and un-derstands very little English, but he is eager to learn about scientific in-ventions and would introduce many improvements of modern civilization into Morocco if his subjects would let him.

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The policy of the Liberal party in the west is laid down in a pamphlet. It is directly opposed to the policy of protection. If that be the issue we are prepared to accept it.

The policy of the Conservative party in respect to the Government of Canada, was Lord Dundonald right when he said that the efficiency of the militia was impaired by the interference of politicians?

Let us believe that the votes are counted as they are deposited. I am not charging these crimes against the rank and file of the Liberal party, but against the machinists on behalf of the Liberal Government who are willing to accept the returns.

Let me admit that the very best service you can perform to the country is that you turn us out of power the very first time we are found untrue to pledges we have given.

Short speeches were delivered by Hon. George E. Foster and Mr. J. P. Whitney, and the meeting closed with cheers for the King, Mr. Borden and Mr. Whitney.

MOVING ON RUSSIANS

Frequent Fights Between Japs and Cossacks Show It.

Col. Goedke, a Berlin Correspondent at Mukden, Declares, However, That Oyama Is Preparing For Defensive Operations—Japanese Said to Be Stirring Up Agitation Among the Chinese Against the Russians—Cavalry Active.

London, Oct. 5.—Frequent fighting between Japanese advance guards and Cossacks on the south front of Gen. Kuropatkin's army, reported in despatches to the Russian War Office, is regarded as indicative of the near approach of a general forward movement by the forces of Field Marshal Oyama, but Colonel Goedke, The Berlin Tageblatt's correspondent in the Far East, telegraphs from Mukden that the Japanese are apparently no longer advancing, but are preparing for defensive operations.

Reports have reached here from official sources that many Japanese have appeared recently in the big centres of northern China and they have begun an agitation, the result of which it is feared may precipitate disorders in the case of Russian successes in Manchuria, which might lead to the intervention of the powers.

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Toward noon the same day one battalion of the Japanese advance guard with two or three squadrons of cavalry renewed the offensive movement against a regiment of Cossacks. The firing lasted until night-fall. Gen. Mischken sent reinforcements to the aid of the Cossacks, and towards evening the enemy was repulsed at all points, the whole line retreating toward Sialionkhetzy, pursued by our cavalry.

"One Russian patrol dispersed two Japanese patrols in the vicinity of Tehjantan on the right bank of the Hun River, taking three Japanese prisoners."

"Another Russian patrol sent in a westerly direction discovered Tawang-hau Pass occupied by 200 Chinese bandits commanded by Japanese officers. During the reconnaissance, one Cossack was killed."

Mexico City, Oct. 5.—The final papers of the transfer of Mount Popocatepetl have been signed by New York parties for the acquisition of the volcano and its immense sulphur deposits.

Montreal's Postmaster Dead. Montreal, Oct. 5.—Cleophas Beausoleil, postmaster of Montreal, died at his summer home at St. Gabriel de Brandon, yesterday morning after a prolonged illness.

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MORNING WEDDING

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the residence of John Hodge's, Amelia Street, at 8 o'clock this morning, when his daughter, Miss Hazel, was married to Fred Light, of Aylmer. Only the immediate relatives were present. The ceremony was performed by the Reverend Mr. Ballott, pastor of the Disciples Church, Aylmer.

The bride was attired in a neat-fitting tailor-made suit of brown cloth and wore a cream silk waist, trimmed with silk lace and silk chiffon. Mr. and Mrs. Light left on a wedding trip to Toronto and other points and on their return will reside at Aylmer. The bride's brother and Miss Mary Rankin, only daughter of Matthew Rankin, Dover township, will be married to-night at 8 o'clock, at the family residence, 10th Con., Dover township.

THE O. I. LIBRARY AND DEBATING SOCIETY

The first regular meeting of this Society was held yesterday afternoon in the room of Form 3A, President B. Bedford occupying the chair. Miss Olive Fletcher, Secretary, read the minutes of the organization meeting of last week.

The subject, "Resolved that a monarchical system of government is better than a republican system," was ably debated by J. B. Lawrence and W. G. McGeorge, affirmative; Misses Mary I. Oliver and Annie White negative. The judges gave their decision in favor of the affirmative. As a fitting conclusion to the debate, a clever essay in the form of a letter, after the manner of Jane Welsh Carlyle, was read. It was written by Florence Dunlop, and being in a humorous vein, it sent the Society into convulsions of laughter. D. S. Paterson acted as critic.

This year the Society will have a "branch" in each Form, which will meet weekly or fortnightly in charge of the English masters. Monthly meetings of the whole society will be held, when enter-forn debates will be the order. This plan was followed a few years ago and proved to be very successful.

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SEPARATE SCHOOL BOARD

The Separate School Board held their regular monthly meeting last Monday evening with Chairman Robert and Trustees Stevens, Pinnoneault, Drew, Blonde, Tschirhart and Trudell present.

It was found necessary to add another teacher to the staff on account of the increased attendance at the school. The new boiler has been installed in the basement and several other improvements have been made in the school building.

It was decided to hold a school concert in St. Joseph's Hall, adjoining the school. Arrangements will be made at once and dates will be settled on later.

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