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Albert Kee, aged 35, of Burnham...

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It is announced that Rev. Father...

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MONTREAL, Sept. 13.—The visitors...

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Ladies' winter costumes and ladies'...

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First Fired Shot at His Pursuers...

—Desperate Affair in Michigan.

BOY BURGLAR, PURSUED...

BY POSSE, SHOOTS SELF

Washington, D. C., Sept. 13.—

When the body of Lieut. James N...

It will be remembered that a lengthy...

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REJECTED BRIDE... CHILDREN SAYS

Accuses Prominent Montreale... of Having Offered \$3000 for His Vote.

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The commission will aid its sessions...

It is suggested that as the official...

A Defeated M. P. Loses His Reason

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The guests fled in terror till it was...

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Tenders for Twenty Parcels on Gillies Limit, Including Government Mine, Received.

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Dr. Cook's Own Story, Proving His Claims, in The World To-Morrow

THE WORLD has secured, by special arrangement with THE NEW YORK HERALD, the sole right to publication in Toronto and vicinity of Dr. Fred. Cook's complete story of his expedition to the North Pole.

THE WORLD, believing that Canadian readers are just as intensely interested, at once secured the exclusive copyright privileges for simultaneous publication with THE HERALD.

THIS stroke of enterprise, THE WORLD believes, is a happy augury in connection with an important epoch in its career.

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ABUSED WOMAN SHOTS AGED RELATIVE

Slays 75-Year-Old Father-in-Law—Husband Condones Offence—A Nis-souri Township Tragedy.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—(Special.)—Mrs. Wesley Scott of the 5th concession of Nissouri, was placed under arrest this evening by High Constable Hughes, charged with the murder of her father-in-law, Harvey Scott, aged 75. She is now lodged in the county jail here.

The shooting took place this morning at 7.30 at the son's home, while the husband was away at a threshing.

Mrs. Scott was observed running down the road, and crying, by Joseph Vining, about 8 o'clock.

"What's the matter?" he asked, and she replied, vaguely, "You'll see what I have done when you get up there."

Vining found the old man stretched out on the ground at the rear of the house, dead. There was the wound of a 32 calibre bullet behind the ear.

Mrs. Scott admitted to Dr. Armstrong, who was called, and also to Joseph Vining, the first to arrive on the scene, that she had been laboring under his threats and tortures for years and could stand them no longer.

On enquiry of the husband, he stated that for years his father had abused him and his wife. Scott showed many marks that he received from blows delivered by the father.

"My father," he said, "used to go to the house and beat me, and on many occasions took a club to her. At one time she had him arrested and up in court at Thorndale for beating her. He was fined a small sum and let go."

All the neighbors state that it is a wonder that the woman has stood the old man's abuse as long as she had, and they are all of the opinion that she did the shooting while in fit of temporary insanity brought on by his constant abuse.

The two families of Scotts live side by side on the 6th concession of West Nissouri, the old man living alone. The other household consists of Wesley Scott, his wife and one daughter, who is about 15 years old. The homes are between two and three miles east of Thorndale.

Mrs. Scott, at, stated that she was the second wife of the deceased. She said that he had always been a hard husband to her, he never showed any love for her.

The son, Wesley, said that his mother had died of heart failure some 22 years ago. The neighbors stated that just before she died she had a bad cold and they went so far as to charge her husband with throwing her out of the house on two occasions, breaking her leg.

An inquest was opened this afternoon at the Scott home. After viewing the body the inquest adjourned to meet on Friday evening in Thorndale Court-house. This city is in charge of the inquest.

Dr. Armstrong from Thorndale conducted a post-mortem examination after the body had been viewed. The remains of the shooting were done with a 32-calibre revolver, which Wesley Scott says has shot in their house for years.

It was surprising to hear that her wife had shot my father. I would not have been surprised had he shot both her and I," he said.

SUTTON NOT A SUICIDE Body Exhumed and an Autopsy is Performed.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 13.—When the body of Lieut. James N. Sutton, Jr., the young marine officer who met his death about two years ago, at Annapolis, was exhumed at Arlington Cemetery this afternoon, an autopsy performed, disclosed the fact that no bones were broken, while a contusion was found over the right eye. It had been Mrs. Sutton's contention that her son's arm had been broken in the fight which preceded his death, and that the shot which ended his life could not have been self-inflicted.

The bullet wound was three inches above the right ear. There was no indication that the hair and scalp had been burned by powder. Attorney Van Dyke, assistant counsel for Mrs. Sutton, said that the shot had been fired at least five feet from the officer's head.

Mrs. Sutton was the first person to look upon the face of her dead son when the casket was opened.

It will be remembered that a lengthy naval court enquiry was recently held into the allegations by Mrs. Sutton that certain other cadets had assaulted and killed her son. The allegations were held not proven.

FOR FALL AND WINTER. New York and Paris Ladies' Fur Garments and Millinery.

Ladies' winter costumes and ladies' winter hats come pretty close together now. In fact it looks very much as if your furrier should also sell you your hats. Dineen Company have imported a wonderful line of exclusive ladies' millinery for fall and winter wear. Also there is in the show-rooms a unique collection of rare and beautiful fur garments made in the big Dineen factory from pelts selected by the agents of the company, both in the far north and in the big markets of Europe and Asia. The modern furrier is also your hatter. The winter hat you wear must be in keeping with the furs you select.

DETROIT, Mich., Sept. 13.—(Special.)—Rather than face arrest for burglary, John Washburn, aged 12, who lived with his parents at Hastings this afternoon turned and fired a shot at a posse of sixteen men who were pursuing him thru the woods, then placing the revolver to his head, blew out his brains.

The pursuit followed a burglary committed some time last night, two stores near Fruitport being entered and ransacked, and guns, revolvers and ammunition stolen.

Suspicion centred on Young Washburn, who was seen near his home firing at a target.

MONTREAL OLD HOME WEEK.

MONTREAL, Sept. 13.—The visitors to Montreal on the occasion of the Old Home week were officially welcomed at a posse of sixteen men who were made by the mayor and a number of prominent citizens. Fully five thousand people arrived in Montreal to-day to attend the celebration.



AS THE MATTER STANDS

—N. Y. AMERICAN





Tennis News and Gossip

Did you notice the Bisons yesterday at Diamond Park? They were beaten from the very first ball that McKinley sent over the plate, yet seemed the happiest lot of athletes imaginable.

Buffalo, as everyone knows, is not in favor with the ball players unless the team are on top with a long lead. No, you couldn't know it from reading the papers, that boost on account of their connection with the management.

Capt. Smith and his men went thru the game showing some individual ability, and that Toronto was not so important to them as the knicker of the 17th inning.

The Bronchos, or as they like to be called the Hustlers, lost again yesterday, while Newark won, and by a repeat today Rochester will lose first place.

Regardless of the anti-betting strictures the sheephead Baymeeth, which wound up yesterday, was conducted without financial loss.

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Metropolitan Racing Association Fall (Inaugural) Meeting RACING THIS AFTERNOON AT DUFFERN PARK

Leafs Take Bisons into Camp Royals Again Bump Bronchos

Newark Beats Providence While Orioles Take Two From Jersey City—Buffalo Here To-Day.

Toronto had little trouble in defeating Buffalo in the first game of the series yesterday, the score being 10-1. The Bisons were never in danger, but sometimes threatened.

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American League. Club, Won, Lost, P.C. Detroit, Cleveland, Philadelphia, Washington, St. Louis, Chicago, Pittsburgh, Boston, New York.

National League. Club, Won, Lost, P.C. Pittsburgh, Chicago, Cincinnati, Philadelphia, Brooklyn, St. Louis, Philadelphia, New York.

Philadelphia, Pa., Sept. 13.—American defeated Great Britain today in the third and decisive match of the Davis Cup lawn tennis series.

The new senior beach team will hold their first practice to-night at Scarborough Beach at 8 o'clock, when a full turnout is expected.

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INTERNATIONAL WHY NOT GARAGE AT THE PERCY A. MOBRIDE

Tourney Results

Yesterday interest centred chiefly in the mixed doubles and in the ladies' handicap, in which latter event Miss Andras put up a most excellent defence against the skillful game of her famous opponent.

The team will play their games at Diamond Park this year, but will not start practice on the grounds till next week, as they are expected to leave for the clubhouse at Sunnydale.

Hamilton and Argonauts finish their Big Four season here, it being the last game in the Interprovincial.

The Capitals held their second meeting last night, when the following officers were elected: Hon. president, Mr. J. F. Hogg; vice-presidents, John Kirk, Fred Hogg, president, J. P. Holden.

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C.N.R. TO BUILD AT ONCE TORONTO-OTTAWA LINE

Several Surveys Made, and Road Will Probably Branch Off at Richmond Hill.

Tenders will be called for by the C.N.R. on Saturday for the construction of the first 100 miles of the Niagara-ara-Ottawa branch, which will pass thru Toronto.

The opinion prevails that the line will branch off from the present C.N.R. line in the vicinity of Richmond Hill and will keep on the elevation north of the C.P.R. track for a distance of about ten miles before crossing to the south.

YANCOUVER, B.C., Sept. 13.—(Special.)—William Garland, aged 42, proprietor of Auckland rooming house, committed suicide. He was preparing to go on an outing with his family.

Overseer Seizes Hoop Nets. A report has reached the chief officer of the game and fisheries branch of the public works department, that Overseer Lovejoy of the patrol steamer Navahak made a seizure of hoop nets at Rockland on the Ottawa river.

One Instead of Three Caretakers. As an immediate result of the theft of the Vancouver collection from the Toronto Museum, the post office caretaking has been changed.

Search for an Adopted Son. DETROIT, Sept. 13.—(Special.)—The search for the adopted son of the late Mrs. M. J. Frith, who disappeared two weeks ago, has been discontinued.

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blanks the C.F.R. on the distance east of Toronto and it was hinted in the paper that this would be chosen.

Blacksford, 91 (Martin), 8 to 5, 7 to 10 and 1 to 3.

Seizes Hoop Nets. The Ottawa Hoop Netters Association has been permitted to use hoop nets...

of Three Carstakers. The result of the theft of the collection from the museum...

an Adopted Son. Sept. 13—One peculiar case of a child named Geo. A. Fritch...

TAILORING ORRIGAN Merchant Tailor, 100 BAY STREET EAST, ALL GOODS DESIGNS VERY MODERATE PRICES ACTION ASSURED

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DOMINION ADDED STARTER HANDICAP GREAT E. HANDICAP Three Lengths in Front of Fauntleroy in Feature Race on Closing Day at Sheephead.

SHEEPSHEAD BAY, Sept. 13.—Livonia, an added starter, easily won the Great Eastern Handicap, with a value of \$2000, six furlongs, here-to-day.

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JACK LONG TO-DAY 12 to 1

Turtles, here is another of those long shot good things that will be cut loose at Montreal to-day and if you are wise you will string along with me.

GRAVESEND TO-DAY 10-1

The Light Beer in The Light Bottle The Ideal Beer for the Home. O'KEEFE'S 'PILSENER' is brewed especially for the people who drink their beer at home.

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The Whisky of Connoisseurs Buchanan's 'Red Seal' Scotch Whisky.

MANNIE'S BEST BET YESTERDAY STROMELAND, 18-5, Won ANOTHER POSITIVE WINNER TO-DAY

COMMENDADOR PORT WINE The port of olden time—Twenty years old.

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The Toronto World

A FRIENDLY MISSION. The World of yesterday contained a despatch from Winnipeg giving the views of a German paper in Manitoba in regard to the Imperial ideas of Lord Northcliffe, and especially criticising the speech that he made in the west recently. The concluding paragraph of the article in the German paper stated that "Lord Charles Bessford, Lord Northcliffe and others have been sent over to Canada to assist in the creation of a much stronger British fleet to which Canada shall contribute much more than can be in the interests of the country and in the interest of our means."

As far as The World can gather from what Lord Charles Bessford has said in this country or from other information available to us, there is no foundation for connecting Lord Charles Bessford with any bellicose statement aimed at any country in particular or that his attitude is any other than one of statesmanlike amity and friendliness to everyone, but that he is urging upon the empire generally the idea that the best security for peace is to have an Imperial and national insurance in the way of a national fleet.

THE GREAT AMERICAN NOVEL. Whether the great American novel will be written in this generation or the next, or whether it has already been written will remain a moot point for the benefit of the critics. But certain phases of American life have furnished material for literary work which could not be found anywhere but in the United States. The politics of Washington are of their own kind. The ward primary is an American institution. These and their attendant phases present a great field full of novel situations and embracing all sorts of original characterization. Excellent examples of the literature arising out of these conditions are to be found in Paul Leicester Ford's "Hon. Peter Sterling" and Alfred Henry Lewis' "The Boss." In the current "Saturday Evening Post," a periodical remarkable for clever short stories, there appears an epic in miniature by Rupert Hughes, called "Canavan," which embodies in its brief recital all the dramatic features, the vividness, the newness of life and the democracy of the land of loaves and fishes, high-pressure politics. Mr. Hughes may not have written the great American novel, but he has put one of its thrilling chapters in a nutshell.

PAINTERS AND BUYERS. Last month's Nineteenth Century contained an unusually frank article on pictures, picture painters and the general attitude of the public towards art. It came from the pen of the Hon. John Collier, a well-known London artist, and one well able to gauge public taste. In his opinion more pictures than ever before are now being produced, but every year there seem to be fewer people found to buy them. Yet he admits that large sums are annually spent on pictures, but almost exclusively on the works of artists no longer living. Mr. Collier's view is no doubt correct, and it may be ascribed largely to the entrance upon the field of picture collecting of wealthy Americans whose ambition it is to emulate the galleries hitherto attached to the old historic houses of Britain and the continent of Europe. During last season vast sums were realized at the disposal of notable collections, and for specially choice examples of masters whose reputation time has established record prices were obtained. In older days collectors depended more on their own judgment, and made their selections largely from the work of young artists in whom they recognized the attributes of genius. Sten connoisseurs were of invaluable service since their early appreciation often provided valuable encouragement at the moment when it was of greatest service. They cultivated eye detected the promise of ultimate fame, and they did not require the artist to sacrifice his own peculiar bent to the conventional standards of the day. But the modern millionaire is too often more concerned with names that have become famous. He wants a collection that will make him talked about and he cannot rest content in the belief that time will justify his own discernment. Mr. Collier's remedy for the difficulty living artists find in selling their pictures is to cater frankly to the taste of the ordinary public and what it craves for—sunshine as "beauty—especially human beauty"; "a certain measure of finish," since the average buyer's rooms are too small for coarse brush work; "detail"; "a certain simple realism," and a cheerful rather than depressing subject.

PRIVATE BANKERS AND INVESTMENTS. Among the agencies that have been most vitally concerned in the rapid expansion of Canadian commerce, and industry none have been more instrumental in this direction than its public banking system. It has developed along very different lines from that characteristic of the United States, where the multiplicity of purely local companies has led to difficulties and complications avoided by the existence of great central institutions with branches extending all over the Dominion. Organization on this principle has proved itself to be admirably adapted to the necessities of a young country pushing out in all directions and has enabled facilities to be provided in advance of the actual requirements of her pioneers and prospectors, and the communities that have sprung into existence as the immediate result of their endeavors.

An equally important part is played by private bankers and financiers, who are in a position to handle propositions which cannot be touched by incorporated companies acting under statutory authority, subject to conventional rules. A private banker possessed of judgment and discretion can be of infinite service to a country at the stage of its development which Canada has attained. Such an expert by his ability to size up the prospects of an enterprise, and thru the means at his disposal to ascertain and gauge its real character and value, can not only secure good and safe returns for his customers, but afford invaluable assistance in promoting the industrial advancement of the country. Canada today offers ample opportunities for the exercise of the special qualifications of a shrewd private financier, and his work in this way can scarcely be over-estimated.

Circumstances have specially favored Toronto as a field for the operations of the private banker. The uncovering of the unrivaled resources of the Dominion and the certainty that only the fringe of them has yet been touched, leads to the inevitable conclusion that opportunities for the profitable employment of money will become increasingly numerous. But what the public needs is safe and reliable guidance, and the assurance that flotations placed before it possess the first elements of future success. Of the private bankers who are engaged in handling such propositions, none are better equipped than that of the firm of A. E. Ames & Company. The World has not always seen eye to eye with this company, but that is an old story, and its subsequent history has caused Mr. Ames to be justly regarded as one of the most reputable of Toronto financiers. From our knowledge of the principles which guide Messrs. Ames & Co., in the conduct of their extensive business and of the methods they employ to secure accurate and reliable information, we are convinced that their name will never be attached to anything which does not possess all the characteristics of a first-class security. This has been fully borne out in the experience of their important and influential clientele.

AT OSGODE HALL

Judges' Chambers. Before MacMahon, J. Re Marlock and Chas. Limited.—A. Dunbar (Guelph), for the Dominion Bank, a creditor, and for James Cane, a shareholder, moved for a winding up order. W. E. Buckingham (Guelph) for the company. Leave appointed interim liquidator. Reference to the master at Guelph. Single Court. Before Judge, J. The Times and Robert E. Peary v. The Mail Printing Co.—N. W. Rowell, K.C., for plaintiff, moved to continue injunction restraining defendants from publishing plaintiff Peary's account of his voyage to the north pole. J. B. Clarke, K.C., for defendants, contra. Plaintiffs contended that they were entitled to enforce here either a British copyright or a Canadian one, and that plaintiffs had both copyrights as appears from the evidence before the court. Defendants contended that plaintiffs here under the circumstances of this case and according to the terms of the contract between them had no valid copyright capable of enforcement by them or either of them, and asked that the injunction be dissolved. The court adjourned till Wednesday next permit plaintiff to put in further evidence. Injunction continued meantime.

Will Stick to Deposit System. Mayor Oliver, who was instructed by the city council some time ago to ask the Consumers' Gas Company to discontinue the practice of requiring \$10 deposits from some applicants for gas brought up the question at a meeting of the directors yesterday. The explanation that the deposits were only for special instances where security was deemed necessary was satisfactory to him.

Algonquin Park. If you are fond of fishing, canoeing, camping or the study of wild animals look up the Algonquin National Park of Ontario. A fish and game preserve of 2,000,000 acres interspersed with 1,000 lakes and rivers is awaiting you, offering all the attractions that nature can bestow. Magnificent canoe trips. Altitude 2,000 feet above sea level. Pure and exhilarating atmosphere. Just the place for a vacation. Excellent hotel accommodation. Trains leave Toronto 1.30 p.m. and 2.05 a.m. (leave open 9.30 p.m.). An interesting and profusely illustrated descriptive publication telling you all about it free on application to City Office, northwest corner King and Yonge streets. Phone Main 4209.

Stripped House of Clothing. Nellie LePare and Gertrude Patterson were charged in police court yesterday morning with theft of valuable clothing from the residence of Mrs. C. H. Mortimer, Rosedale. When Mrs. Mortimer left the city for her two sons, while she was away they entertained the two ladies mentioned and stripped the house of many valuable things including the clothing. This was the way the case was stated by Crown Attorney Corley. The value of the furs and other clothing that has disappeared is set at \$500. Bail was refused and the girls remanded a week.

Use Up Your Book Tickets. Turbinia makes two round trips to Hamilton on Saturday, Sept. 18, leaving Toronto 2 p.m. and 8 p.m. The last chance of the season to take a ride on this popular steamer.

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HOTEL PROPRIETOR GETS VICTORIA STREET SITE

James J. O'Neill Buys S. W. Corner of Adelaide Street for \$185,000.

James J. O'Neill, proprietor of the St. Charles Hotel, has very quietly negotiated one of the most important real estate deals that have gone thru in Toronto for some years, namely, the purchase of the property on the south-west corner of Adelaide and Victoria streets, fronting 52 feet on Adelaide street, by a depth of 204 feet on Victoria street. The purchase price was \$185,000, which absorbs all the leases in buildings. Mr. O'Neill has been drawing the plan for the numerous offices located on the property for a month, although it was not publicly known until yesterday when he was the new landlord. Since the deal went thru he has been offered \$20,000 for his bargain.

Work was begun yesterday clearing off the property, corner Bay and Melinda streets, upon which the Toronto General Trusts Corporation is to erect an eight story office building.

NEW WAY AROUND THE WORLD

Frank C. Clark Plans Trip With Modern Comforts for Tourists. It has long been realized by transportation companies and touring agencies that with the proper transportation facilities round the world travel would prove immensely popular. With steamers sailing fortnightly, hotels of limited capacity lacked the comforts demanded by Europeans. For the most part it has been well-nigh impossible for any one to attempt to compass a tour around the world within a period of six or seven months, and at a cost hardly less than twenty-five hundred dollars. The steamers were usually overcrowded and accommodation was at all times difficult to secure, and when to be had was not such as to call forth praise.

Only recently has there been any attempt at improvement. True, there are a few new steamers of large tonnage, but only in the transatlantic trade. In some of the large centres comfortable hotels with improvements have been built, and still conditions are far from what they should be to induce a large influx of tourists.

To a very great extent the vexatious problem of world-travel has been solved within the past two years by an enterprising American tourist agent whose name has occupied a prominent position in travel affairs for many years past.

Upon this plan it will be possible to embark in New York or San Francisco on a mammoth transatlantic liner of over 20,000 tons, embodying every comfort and such luxury as is offered by the modern New York hotel, and make the entire journey around the world without changing steamers.

This is truly princely traveling—a transatlantic liner run like a private yacht, and we must admit the idea appears entirely feasible and admits of great possibilities. It assuredly saves some eighteen connections and changes of steamers.

An itinerary of surpassing interest has been prepared by Mr. Frank C. Clark embodying every point of tourist interest along the way, and ample time is given for the most enjoyable of excursions. The charter controls the steamer for the period of nearly four months, and having arranged his itinerary, it is not necessary to await the infrequent sailings of local steamers, and thus much valuable time is saved without any delay in the way.

Also the route includes many places that are not in reach of the ordinary traveler unless he waits for tramp steamers or sailing vessels.

This proposition seems to be what the people have been waiting for, as Mr. Clark has been in receipt of thousands of enquiries, and many letters have reached him from entire strangers commending him in his sagacity and business acumen. Hundreds have secured membership in his anticipated cruises. The initial cruise leaves New York on October 16, 1909, arriving in San Francisco the last of January, 1910.

All will not return to New York at that time, however, as the manager offers the option of stopping over in Europe several months, a feature that will be pleasantly recognized by those who want to visit Oberammergau and the Passion Play, or possibly motor through the Continent.

Lord Charles at U. C. C. Camp. The boys of Cochrane Camp on Lake Ontario were surprised and delighted to receive an unexpected visit from Lord Charles Bessford on Thursday last. His lordship, who was on a fishing trip, commented upon the sturdy appearance of the bronzed young voyagers assembled to greet him, expressing the opinion that Canadian boys were to be congratulated in possessing such a magnificent camping ground and national playground, as camp life in such a place could not fail to develop physique and resourcefulness.

Hon. J. O. Reame Returning. Hon. J. O. Reame, minister of public works is expected to be back at his desk in the parliament buildings about the beginning of next week. He sailed from Liverpool on the Empress of Ireland on the 10th.

PARKS DEPT. CENSURED FOR AVOIDING TENDERS

"What Judge Winchester Condemned," Says Ald. McMurrich—Heavy Cost of Civic Baths.

The civic parks department came in for some rather sharp criticism by the city council yesterday; the discovery that the department had purchased certain supplies, for which no tenders should apparently have been invited, furnishing the reason.

Ald. Foster, the official prober, started the investigation by pointing out that the parks commissioner had bought wire fencing, shrubs and plants, in quantities, which resulted in separate expenditures of more than \$200, the limit set by the by-law for purchase without tender. He was joined in his condemnation of the practice by Ald. Keeler, Dunn, Bredin, Chisholm and McMurrich.

The matter, so far as the shrubs and plants were concerned, was satisfactorily explained by Ald. R. H. Graham, chairman of the parks committee, who stated that a special by-law empowered the parks commissioner to purchase them in such quantities as he saw fit, since such commodities could not be contracted for. Controller Hocken also tried to clear the department on the score of the fencing, by explaining that a number of purchases from time to time had been grouped, and that in no individual case was the limit exceeded. This failed to satisfy, however.

Ald. Dunn declared that the department was making "50 to 30 per cent greater mistakes than under ex-commissioner Chambers." They were a discredit to the department and would be heard of later. The department was costing far more than under Mr. Chambers and wasn't showing results.

Controller Gair admitted that an item of \$32 for Tussock moths extermination should be explained and Ald. Bredin declared that, as said, the department purchased small lots of fencing, instead of contracting for a larger quantity, it was a poor business practice.

Ald. McMurrich asserted that the department was doing what Judge Winchester had condemned in his report on the parks department investigation. He questioned whether the department was giving any better value than under the former commissioner.

Censure was also directed toward the controllers for having approved the items. The outcome was a decision to have Park Commissioner Wilson explain to the parks committee.

Split on Hose Contract. The board of control received another setback of the question of awarding a contract for 700 feet of 2 1/2-inch hose. The board recommended that the contract be given to the Gutta Percha Rubber Co., who offered to supply "Paragon" hose at \$1.25 per 100 feet, while the Dunlop Co. offered was \$4.

The Dunlop Co., in a letter to the mayor, explained that thru an error of the board the highest grade of their hose had been made to appear as the guaranteeing only a maximum pressure of 350 pounds, whereas it should have been 400 pounds, the same as the hose of the Gutta Percha Co. Both gave a guarantee of three years.

Controller Harrison tried to shut off discussion by the announcement that the board, which had been given power to enter into contracts during the summer adjournment of council, had closed the contract. The mayor stated, however, that he hadn't signed it, and that as the tenders had only been received last Thursday, council should have a voice in the matter.

Controller Ward said the board had acted on Chief Thompson's advice that Paragon hose was the better article. Ald. Keeler pointed out that the chief's statement that the department had "no leading experience" with the Dunlop hose meant that no new firm had a chance to get a contract.

Ald. Church's motion to let the awarding of the tender stand pending a written report from the chief, was carried, with the controllers and Ald. Baird also dissenting.

Baths a Costly Luxury. The expense bill was rather staggering. Even Controller Harrison admitted that the amount seemed large, but he declared the baths to be a necessity, this being a different view from that of the mayor, who said it was "an awful lot of money for a luxury."

Ald. Baird remarked that it "would take the taxes of \$90,000 worth of property to run that little red building." It was preposterous.

Ald. Foster wanted council to turn down the proposal to spend \$500 on running the baths from Oct. 1 to Dec. 31, but the feeling was that as the institution had been built it would have to be maintained. Only Ald. Foster, Ald. Bredin and Hilton voted against the expenditure.

Mayor Off to Louisville. Mayor Oliver was given permission to attend the annual meeting of the International Tax Association at Louisville, Ky., Sept. 21. He will read a paper on the board of control system.

Judge Morgan appeared as an ordinary taxpayer to object to paying for a concrete sidewalk on Bedford road, his residence being situated at the corner of Bedford road and Prince Arthur avenue. He was informed that the works committee would consider his protest.

No objection to locating the city's electrical transformer station in Garrison Common was offered.

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ARRESTED ON GRAVE CHARGE. Young Man Taken into Custody for Grave Charge. GALT, Sept. 13.—(Special).—For two months the police have been looking for Thomas McDowell, a young man employed on a farm in the adjacent township, charged with a grave offence. The victim is Myrtle Black, a Galt girl, aged 15. McDowell was arrested in Toronto, and he will appear before Judge Blake in the morning.

Miss Ora Wilkins of Minneapolis, Minn., formerly of Goderich, and Roupen Briscoe, drygoods merchant of this town, were married in Toronto to-day.

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#### GUELPH FIRM WOUND UP

Dominion Bank, Heaviest Creditor, is Petitioner.

The furniture manufacturing business of Morlock & Cline, at Guelph, has been closed out by an order issued by Mr. Justice MacMahon, at the instance of the Dominion Bank and James A. Cline, the two heaviest creditors. A. R. Simpson, a bank manager of Guelph, has been appointed provisional liquidator. The defunct firm is said to be indebted to the Dominion Bank to the extent of \$60,000, and to Mr. Cline to the extent of \$60,000.

The company started up business in November of last year, with a nominal capital of \$100,000, consisting of 15,000 shares, 12 of which were paid up. The real estate and plant of the company were mortgaged to the City of Guelph for the sum of \$25,000, and it is understood that no interest has been paid on the mortgage for two years, and that the current taxes are also unpaid.

Directors of the company are: W. G. Morlock, J. G. Morlock, L. E. Morlock, James A. Cline and C. M. Goodrich.

#### BIG GRAIN ELEVATOR

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The new C. P. R. grain elevator at Victoria Harbor, now under construction, will have an initial capacity of 2,000,000 bushels, and is being laid out in such a manner as to permit of its extension to 12,000,000 capacity, with the same power facilities.

The other day, when President Shaughnessy passed over the Sibley division, accompanied by Superintendent Osborne of Toronto, their private car was hauled over the new section of track from Coldwater to Victoria Harbor and right up to the elevator site, and the work was inspected. Thirteen miles of the Victoria Harbor-Peterboro grain line, lying between Victoria Harbor and Coldwater, has been practically completed, but work will not be started on the other sections before next spring.

Mr. Osborne announces that the double-tracking of the line between Smith's Falls and Montreal will be entirely completed by Nov. 1. All but 40 miles of the line is now in use.

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Fifteen prominent men have been indicted at Youngstown, Ohio, for bribery and grafting in civic county affairs.

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## Irregularity in New York Short Traders Squeezed Out

### Technical Position of Market Weakened and Natural Reaction Followed—Local Exchange Featureless.

World Office, Monday Evening, Sept. 13. Almost complete stagnation was the one and only feature of the Toronto Stock Exchange to-day. Neither speculative nor investment securities showed the slightest vim. Traders are doing nothing and sales as a rule are coming from public holders, who have grown tired of waiting for something to turn up. The market at its best is in a reactionary mood, but the offerings are too small to have any decided effect upon prices. Broken lots of from two to ten shares comprise the majority of orders and if these are being picked up by investors the situation is undergoing improvement.

Some brokers are of the opinion that the new flotations are having an effect upon the older issues, and that until the new issues are assimilated the stock market will be lacking in interest.

Wall Street Pointers. Banking institutions in Philadelphia will mark up call money to four per cent. Atchison expects record earnings in current year, in spite of cotton crop shortage.

M. K. and T. full annual report shows two-thirds of one per cent. for common stock after preferred dividend.

U. S. Steel Corporation is in the open market for coke. Lack of labor in the coke regions prevents filling mill orders.

The prominent feature in the copper metal situation is reported to be current production from 20,000,000 to 20,000,000 pounds in excess of current consumption.

Public service commission to-morrow will hear application of Long Island Railroad for authority to issue not to exceed \$15,500,000 debentures.

Pittsburg reports U. S. Steel Corporation doing 103 per cent. of the business it did before the panic.

The public service commission states that the New York street railways carried more passengers than the railways of any other city in the world and nearly 18 per cent. of street railway passengers in the United States.

The western railroads report further increases in tonnage and earnings. Railroads operating east from Chicago and St. Louis are maintaining the high average tonnage that they have enjoyed for the past few weeks. Shipments to the south and southeast are about on an average, but show no material change from what they have been in the past few weeks.—News Bureau.

Amalgamated Copper is earning more than \$6,000,000 a year on basis of present prices for copper, which is equivalent to about 4 per cent. on the stock.

Joseph says: At the present level both Amalgamated and Anaconda are relatively very cheap. Atchison will soon announce "discount" its 6 per cent. dividend. Buy conservatively. Average long term value. Buy Illinois Central. Take on Reading on dips.

U. S. Steel Corporation is now operating close to 98 per cent. of its blast furnace capacity. In other words, its production is about 3 per cent. in excess of capacity in year 1907.

The uptown element seems to be bearish on New York Central. Professional selling of Reading is again occurring on account of offerings noted Saturday. Union Pacific may go higher later, but for the moment it seems a better sale, although it is, of course, dangerous. Southern Pacific should sympathize with U. S. Steel.

B. R. T. shows temporarily reactionary tendency.—Financial Bulletin.

The technical position of the active stocks generally has been radically weakened by the short covering that has been going on, and bears may be expected to take advantage of this attack of the market during the early part of this week, especially as they have pretty strong arguments at their command now in the case of Amalgamated and some of the Granger stocks, as the Producers' Association report of the copper surplus and last week's government report on corn conditions have an important effect upon outside as well as street sentiment.—Town Topics.

Union Pacific Meeting. NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—William Rockefeller and Jacob H. Schiff were elected directors of the Union Pacific Railroad Company succeeding Henry H. Rogers and Edward H. Harriman. They were also appointed members of the executive committee.

The board of directors elected ex-Judge Robert S. Lovett chairman of the executive committee, to succeed Mr. Harriman.

The matter of electing a president of the Union Pacific System was not discussed at the meeting, but it is expected that the next head of the road will be an operating man. The executive committee as at present constituted is composed of the following: Robert S. Lovett, chairman, Henry C. Frick, Marvin Huggitt, Frank A. Vanderbilt, Wm. Rockefeller and Jacob Schiff.

On Wall Street. Erickson Perkins & Co. (Beatty & Glassco) wired: A great reduction in the short interest was apparent by the irregular character of dealings to-day.

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### SPECULATIVE HOLDERS ARE GETTING TIRED.

World Office  
Monday Evening, Sept. 13.

Business is stagnant, and prices are beginning to drag at the Toronto Exchange. The small speculative following in the market is getting tired, and this is liable to bring about some liquidation. The support which now exists is from insiders. These may inaugurate a rally, but such is entirely dependent on them, as public buying is much too small to force advance. Devoid of feature, the market makes no appeal to the outside, and will not do so unless prices are advanced and more activity witnessed.

HERBERT H. BALL.

West. Union 7 7/8 80 7 7/8 79 13,800  
Cant. 28 3/4 28 3/4 28 3/4 28 3/4  
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Sales to amount, 420,100. Total sales \$56,900.

Montréal Stocks.  
—Morning Sales—  
Dominion Iron & Steel—100, 100, 25 at 47 1/2, 100 at 47 1/2, 100 at 47 1/2.  
Imperial Pulp—5 at 180.  
Textile G. Bonds—\$100 at 98.  
Merchants Bank—1 at 83.  
Rubber—25, 100, 50 at 106.  
Rubber bonds—\$100 at 99.  
Textile—100 at 74.  
Textile pref.—2 at 106.  
Ogilvie bonds—\$100 at 112.  
Dominion Iron & Steel, pref.—25 at 134.  
C.P.R.—100, 25 at 182.  
Illinois Tractor—100 at 95.  
Bell Telephone—7 at 148.  
Soo—50 at 144, 25 at 143 1/2.  
Ogilvie Milling—100, 40, 25 at 128 1/2, 30 at 129 1/2, 50 at 130.  
Toronto Railway—30 at 128 1/2, 100 at 105 1/2, 50 at 105 1/2.  
Lake of the Woods—50 at 128 1/2, 100 at 128 1/2, 50 at 128 1/2.  
Canadian Pacific—25, 50, 60 at 182, 100 at 182, 100 at 182.  
Imperial Pulp and Paper—100, 25 at 180.  
Dominion Coal bonds—\$50 at 97 1/2.  
Reading—100 at 108.  
Twin City—130 at 107 1/2.  
Dominion Iron & Steel—50 at 133 1/2, 100 at 133 1/2, 100 at 133 1/2.  
Ogilvie Milling—2 at 128 1/2, 100 at 128 1/2.  
Dominion Coal—7 at 118.  
Merchants Bank—4 at 164.  
Illinois Central—10 at 183.  
Duluth-Superior—10 at 83.  
Bank of Commerce—8 at 183.  
Dominion Iron & Steel—50 at 47 1/2, 25 at 47 1/2.  
Montreal Street Railway—25 at 214.

London Stocks.  
Sept. 11. Sept. 12. Sept. 13.  
Last Quo. Last Quo. Last Quo.  
Consols, money 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2  
Consols, account 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2  
United States 4 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2  
Brazil 5 1/2 5 1/2 5 1/2  
Anacosta 1 1/2 1 1/2 1 1/2  
Atchison 1 1/2 1 1/2 1 1/2  
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Baltimore & Ohio 1 1/2 1 1/2 1 1/2  
Canadian Pacific 1 1/2 1 1/2 1 1/2  
Chesapeake & Ohio 1 1/2 1 1/2 1 1/2  
Denver & Rio Grande 1 1/2 1 1/2 1 1/2  
Erie 1 1/2 1 1/2 1 1/2  
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Grand Trunk 1 1/2 1 1/2 1 1/2  
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Kansas & Texas 1 1/2 1 1/2 1 1/2  
New York Central 1 1/2 1 1/2 1 1/2  
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New York Cotton.  
Beatty & Glassco (Erickson Perkins & Co.) 14 West King-street, reported the following closing prices:  
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Feb. 12 12 1/2  
Mar. 12 12 1/2  
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Oct. 12 12 1/2  
Nov. 12 12 1/2  
Dec. 12 12 1/2  
Cotton—Spot closed quiet, 25 points low, 12.85. Sales, 500 bales.

Price of Oil.  
PITTSBURGH, Pa., Sept. 13.—Oil closed at \$1.58.

New York Metal Market.  
Pig-iron—Firm; northern, \$17.50 to \$18.75; southern, \$17.50 to \$18.75. Copper—Dull; standard spot, \$12.40 to \$12.60. Tin—Firm; Straits, \$30 to \$30 1/2; plates firm; spot dull; domestic, \$30 to \$31.

RARE STAR APPROACHING  
Halley's Comet Comes into View at Kiel, Germany.

Yesterday the officials of the meteorological observatory received a cablegram from Kiel, stating that Dr. Wolf, Heidelberg, had sighted Halley's comet. This scientist describes the position of the comet as follows: "Right ascension, 18 hours 18 minutes 12 seconds; declination is north of the equator 17 degrees 11 minutes.

Halley's comet is a star which is visible from the earth only once in a good many years. It is said to be due about now, according to astronomical records. While the comet can only be seen now thru a large telescope, it is rapidly approaching the earth, and soon be seen thru smaller instruments, and by April next should be visible to the naked eye.

Says Officer Drugged Him.  
KINGSTON, Sept. 13.—John Campbell, committed from Belleville to the penitentiary for burglary, has written to United States Consul Van Sant to aid him. He says a Toronto officer found him at Charlotte, N. Y., and that he was drugged and brought over to Belleville without waiving extradition.

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TUESDAY, SEPT. 14.

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*The Robert Simpson Company Limited*  
extends a cordial invitation to  
*Mrs. & the Misses Torouts*  
on the occasion of Opening the Season for  
*New Autumn Fashions*  
in the Salon of Dress (3rd floor)  
*Wednesday September the fifteenth 1909*

*Models from the Studios of  
Paris, Berlin, London and New York!*

### In the New Department of Ladies' Inner Wear

A Sale of High-Class \$4.50 Corsets for \$2.50 per Pair.



VISITORS to the Fashion Opening for Fall to-morrow, on the third floor, should be sure to include the spacious Corset Department in their tour. It is in the James and Richmond Street Section, with southwest light pouring in from both sides—one of the most favorably-situated departments in the new store.

We are making a specially enticing offer for Wednesday's Opening visitors—La Diva Royale and Warner's Rustproof Corsets at half their real value.

Every pair is of this season's most stylish models, and represents corset fashion right to the minute. This offer holds good for to-morrow only.

LA DIVA ROYALE and WARNER'S RUSTPROOF CORSETS, two very stylish and new models, very strong and fine white coutil, long directoire back, hips and front with the new slashed skirt, medium or high bust, finest rustproof aluminum steels, four or six wide side steels, fine lace and ribbon, six strong elastic garters. Sizes 18 to 30 inches. Regular \$4.50 corsets. Wednesday, a pair . . . . .

**2.50**

### A Sale of the Ostrich Feather Exhibit

Remarkable Sale of Exhibition Ostrich Feathers Saturday

THESE plumes were on exhibition in the Manufacturers' Building up at the Fair. They represent the first direct importation from South Africa to this country. They were dyed and cured in Canada and put on exhibition to compare with any in the world.

We bought the entire exhibit, and will put them on sale for Wednesday visitors. Over 200 handsome imperial tips, long silky plume; willow plumes in all lengths, and five-tip mounts; charming two-tone and shaded effects; the most beautiful collection of ostrich goods we have ever shown. Prices range from \$3.00 to \$35.00 each.

Two Splendid Special Lots of Imported Plumes Underpriced

100 Ostrich Feathers, 18 inches long, bright, silky fibre, broad curl, every feather perfect in black or white. Regular \$5.00 each. Special sale . . . . . **3.50**

100 Ostrich Feathers, 20 inches long, extra quality black, white, and good assortment of colors. Regular \$6.00 each. Special sale . . . . . **4.50**



### Three Delightful Items from the Gloves and Hosiery Dept.



FROM France—manufacturer's clearing lots. Suede Glove for 59c—think of it; and regular \$1.00 Gloves too! Silk Gloves worth \$1.00 for 50c; Silk Stocking worth \$1.25 for 79c.

On sale for Wednesday's opening when you come—if you come early enough.

**\$1.00 SUEDE KID GLOVES, 59c.**  
3600 pairs. Women's fine imported French made, undressed suede finished kid gloves, two-dome fasteners, round sewn seams, silk points on black; perfect fit and finish; black, white, tan, brown, mode, all sizes. Regular \$1 value. Pair Wednesday, 59c.

**\$1.00 LONG SILK GLOVES, 50c.**  
Women's fine imported pure silk long Gloves, elbow length, mousquetaire opening at wrist, with dome fasteners, all sizes in black or tan. Regular \$1 value. Wednesday, pair, 50c.

**\$1.25 SILK HOSE, 79c.**  
Women's fine imported Silk Hose, German made, double spliced sole, toe and heel, full fashioned gauze weight; black, tan, grey, all sizes. Regular value \$1.25, on sale Wednesday, pair, 79c.

### WEDNESDAY'S GROCERY LIST

- 2000 stone Fresh Rolled Oats, per stone 44c.
- Choice Side Bacon, peameal, half or whole, per lb 19c.
- Pure White Clover Honey, 5-lb. pail 60c.
- Canned Corn or Peas, 3 tins 25c.
- Finest Canned Tomatoes, 3 tins 25c.
- Fancy Japan Rice, 4 lbs. 25c.
- Choice California Prunes, 4 lbs. 25c.
- Malta Vita Breakfast Cereal, 3 packages 25c.
- Telfer's Cream Soda Biscuits, 3-lb. box 25c.
- Klovah Custard Powder, 3 packages 7841.
- Imported Dutch Cheese, 1-3-lb tin 13c.
- Canned Haddie, Brunswick Brand, per tin 10c.
- Telephone direct to department, Main
- 2 LBS. FRESH ROASTED COFFEE, 35c.
- Price a half less than elsewhere, 200 lbs. in the bean, ground pure or with chicory, 2 lbs. 35c

### A Thorough Exposition of the Famous Queen Quality Shoes



ON WEDNESDAY visitors to the Opening should make a point of calling at the Footwear Department, on the Second Floor of the New Building. We have arranged a special showing of the Fall styles in the famous Queen Quality Shoes.

This store holds the sole Toronto right of sale for these famous Shoes, and we are proud of our exclusive privilege. Queen Quality Shoes are worn by a greater number of women than any other one brand of footwear manufactured. The reason is that they embody a certain principle of lasting, which makes them FIT. Queen Quality Shoes are comfortable from the first day worn.

As for style and finish, the enormous output enables the Boston manufacturers to spare no expense in producing a shoe that excels all competitors. Theirs is the largest factory in the world. Boston is famous for its leadership in shoe manufacturing. Queen Quality Shoes are the most famous of all Boston Shoes.

Come and see the styles for Fall on Wednesday. All the popular fashions, leathers, sizes and widths are here now in complete range.

Prices \$3.75, \$4.00, \$4.50 and \$5.00

### The September Blanket Sale for Wednesday

WHY not forestall the imperative need of October by accepting the economic opportunity of September?

See these prices—they can't outlast the month.



(Second Floor, Yonge Street.)  
60 pairs White Southdown Saxony Wool Blankets, made from the best clean, soft wools, the highest grade; most perfect production of our Canadian mills, which are conceded to be in the front rank as blanket manufacturers; dainty pink or blue borders. 7 lbs., 63x84 inches. Regular \$12.50 per pair. Sale price, Wednesday, \$3.98.  
Grey Union Blankets, another clearance in another size, such as went so quickly the other day; good, reliable, clean blankets, dark borders, 6 lbs. 56x76 inches. Sale price per pair, Wednesday, \$1.47.  
Striped English Flannelette select colorings and stripes, perfectly pure and beautifully finished, warranted the best colors; a very high class of goods, and away below their real values. 32 inches wide. Per yard, Wednesday, \$2 1-2c.

130 dozen Beautiful Satin Damask Table Napkins, warranted all pure linen, and bleached in Ireland, splendid range of new bordered designs; some are hemmed ready to use; woven for great wear, and to stand frequent laundering; 22x22 inches. Per dozen, Wednesday, \$1.00.  
1000 yards just received, a very special English Long-cloth, just the kind for general household use, perfectly pure, and a bright, fine finish; yard wide. Per yard Wednesday, \$1-2c.  
900 yards Heavy Irish Tea Toweling, red or blue checks, perfect drying, firm, close weave; was never pressed to sell for anything like this money; 24 and 27 inches wide. Per yard, Wednesday, 11c.  
(Phone orders direct to department.)

### An Exceptional Display of High-class Imported Broadcloth and Worsted Suitings

New Shipments Arriving Daily.

Our showing of fine Broadcloths is far ahead of anything we have ever attempted heretofore, and comprises all that is new and beautiful. Carefully selected in the fashion centres of Europe. Owing to their superior tailoring qualities and handsome refined appearance, these broadcloths are first favorites for stylish tailored suits, evening wear and reception gowns, etc. They come in an exceptionally wide range of shades and rich pastel tones—amethyst, violet tints, Russian blue, old rose and ashes of roses, ashes of violet, new greens, blues, fog grey, Burgundy, ox-blood, helio, mauve, champagne, sky, oyster grey, soft pink. Also cream, ivory, white and black. Special section in our Dress Goods Department reserved for this display to-morrow. 52 and 54 inches wide, per yard, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2 and \$2.50.

### Wednesday in the Men's Store

Special Showing of Men's New Fall Suits and Overcoats

Men's Fine Imported Fancy English Worsted Suits, made from a handsome, rich material, of superior finish, weave and texture, in dark olive, with subdued shadow stripe effect; also in brown and bronze tones; coats cut on the newest single-breasted sack model, with dip front and latest details of fashion; fine mohair twin linings and good trimmings; perfect fitting in every respect. Our special price, \$15.00.

Men's Fall Weight Overcoats, in black and dark Oxford grey imported English chevot, made up with and without silk facings, well tailored and nicely finished; cut in three-quarter Chesterfield style of the latest fashion, fine trimmings. \$10.50.  
Men's High-grade Raincoats, made of imported English covert cloths, in olive, grey and fawn shades, cut 50-inch Chesterfield style; suitable for rain or shine; a storm resister; sufficiently dressy for evening wear. \$12.00.  
Men's Fashionable Single-breasted Sack Suits, in fancy English worsteds, extra fine quality material, in the newest fall shades, including walnut, moss, slate and brown, cut and tailored in the very newest fashion, made perfect fitting. Finished in the most careful manner, fine trimmings throughout. Extra special value, \$17.50.

Two Special Pyjama Items of Interest to Men  
100 Pyjamas, regular to \$3.00, to clear at \$1.39; made from fine awasette, Madras or percale cloths, trimmed with frogs, or plain designs; plain colors of blue, mauve, white, tan, etc.; some slightly counter-soiled. The regular prices are up to \$3.00. To clear Wednesday \$1.39.  
500 garments of "Britannia" Imported English Merino Underwear, medium weight, very soft, non-irritating, unshrinkable. Special Wednesday, 50c per garment.

### Men's Underwear

"Stanfield's" Heavy All-wool Underwear for Men, knitted from the best woven of Nova Scotia wool, rendered absolutely unshrinkable by a secret process; is combed, not carded, and knitted with a lock stitch which prevents raveling. (On sale in the new department, Richmond Street Section, New Store).  
"Stanfield's" Red Label, 32 to 42, per garment, \$1.00; 44 to 50, per garment, \$1.25.  
"Stanfield's" Blue Label, heavier quality, 32 to 40, per garment, \$1.25; 42 to 48, per garment, \$1.50.  
"Stanfield's" Black Label, extra heavy quality, a splendid warm garment, 32 to 42, per garment, \$1.75; 42 to 48, per garment, \$2.00.

### 2,400 New Neglige Shirts

15 DIFFERENT LINES, 45 DIFFERENT COLORINGS.  
A choice of Madras, percales and Oxford cloths; a choice of plaid or plain bosoms; a choice of coat style or ordinary; a choice of stripes, spots, figures or plain colors; a choice of well-tailored, perfect fitting garments; a choice of sizes and half sizes from 14 to 16 1/2. On sale in the old Rea building on Wednesday at 75c.

### \$2.00 Hats for 45c

Men's Stiff Hats, fashionable shapes, balances of lines nearly sold out, in brown, fawn and tan, fine English fur felt. Regular \$2.00. Wednesday . . . . . **45c**  
Men's Soft Hats, in telescope, crease crowns, fedora and neglige shapes; color mostly black, a few green. Regular \$2.00. Wednesday, 80c.  
Men's Tweed Fedora Hats, very fine quality, dressy patterns. Regular \$2.00. Wednesday, \$1.00.

