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TWENTY-FIRST YEAR

GENERAL BULLER'S FORCES

ARE STILL IN GOOD SHAPE

Lord Dundonald, By a Dashing Movement, Occupied the Hills Above Potgieter's Drift, Surprising the Boers.

Gen. Lyttleton's Brigade Crossed the River and are Shelling the Boer Trenches—Gen. Warren's Forces Five Miles North—Boers Entrenched Above Him—Story of White's Repulse of the Attacking Forces Methuen Locates the Enemy—Latest War News.

Extra editions of the London dailies were printed last evening...

War Office Says No News. London, Jan. 18.—(4 a.m.)—The War Office announced at midnight that the Boers had been completely surprised...

There was a demonstration in force against the Boers at Modder River on Tuesday...

The British losses in French's engagement when the Boers were repulsed were six killed and five wounded...

Col. Plumer of the Rhodesia relief for Mafeking arrived at Mochudi...

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Toronto World

MORNING JANUARY 18 1900—TEN PAGES

GETTING NERVOUS.

Mr. but they are turning handspikes! Macdonald has been in office only ten days...



OOM WILF: Dose Tory Uitlanders haf not captured der political Pretoria, yet—but, by shim, dey vas carry a good many of der outworks

MORE REVELATIONS AS TO GREENWAY'S DEALS

The Ex-Premier's Letter Books Are Missing, But Replies on Fyle Disgrace the Manitoba Liberals.

Secret Pledges Given Without the Knowledge of the Legislature for \$184,000 in Bonuses—In League With the C.P.R.—Evidence of Double Dealing.

Winnipeg, Man., Jan. 17.—(Special.)—Ex-Premier Greenway has brought disgrace and humiliation upon the Liberal party of Manitoba...

Now for the Evidence. Away back in July 14 last, while the Local House was in session, Mr. Greenway passed an order-in-council...

Other Pledges Given. He gave letters to the C.P.R. his support to other aid, altogether summarized as follows:

Continued on Page 4.

The Difference in Dinetics. A thin, coarse beaver shell, a neatly mounted lining, imitation outer collar and lapels...

Such Splendid Shows. The matchless beauty of Dunlop's shoes will charm you. They are selling now from \$1 a dozen up...

What He Likes Best. Ask the average smoker, and he will tell you that for solid enjoyment he prefers tobacco...

Admitted His Pledges. On Dec. 16 last, after the elections, Mr. Greenway repudiated and admits his pledges hitherto unheeded...

Another Cold Case. When on Nov. 17 last, Manager Baker of the C.P.R., Saskatchewan and Western

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TARTE IS GOING OUT OF THE GOVERNMENT

Said to Have Told One or More of His Friends in Montreal About It.

WILL BAR MR. PREFONTAINE

From Succeeding Him in the Ministry of Public Works, That is if He Can.

HIS BAD JUDGMENT AGAIN SHOWN

In a Bombastic Article, Going Out of His Way to Attack an Ontario Judge.

Montreal, Jan. 17.—(Special.)—Those who expect to see Hon. Mr. Tarte remain in the Government will be mistaken...

Tarte's Gun Not Yet Spiked. Hon. Mr. Tarte returns to the charge in a special despatch to La Patrie from Ottawa...

Liberals Are Taking to the World. Publisher World: Enclosed is my subscription for a year and a trial subscription of one of my neighbors for six months...

Gibson and Mallock. Attorney-General Gibson and Postmaster-General Mallock are two good men for gas companies...

Midwest Returning. Meteorological Office, Toronto, Jan. 17.—(8 p.m.)—During last night the important high and cold wave moved into the Ottawa Valley...

Probabilities. Lower Lakes—Unsettled and mild, with rain, or in some localities, snow and rain.

Upper St. Lawrence—Unsettled, with rising temperature; a fall of snow, but unlikely to turn to rain in the southwestern portion.

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SCALDED HIS BOY TO DEATH

That is the Report About Martin Carrol, Who Gave the Child a Hot Bath.

A MOST DEPLORABLE INCIDENT.

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ALLEGED BREACH OF CONTRACT.

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Presbyterian Churches Are Prosperous—Separate School Board—General News.

Hamilton, Jan. 17.—(Special.)—Percy Carrol, the 4-year-old son of Martin Carrol, corner of Humber and Bath-streets, died of death under somewhat strange circumstances this evening.

The annual meeting of the Westwood Presbyterian Church took place to-night and was a large one.

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CHAIRMAN DAVIS SPOKE PLAINLY

The Motion Was Decried to Suit the Senate's Idea and Then Passed.

Washington, Jan. 17.—In the Senate to-day the resolution introduced by Senator Davis, of Maine, was discussed.

Mr. Davis (Maine), chairman of the Committee on Foreign Relations, moved that the resolution be referred to his committee.

Chief Justice Smith has taken a leaf out of the reporters' guide book and has issued an order, forbidding the policemen to give away the names of their informants to anyone.

Joseph Atkinson of Langford, who defrauded George Knowles, butcher of Jerseyville, out of \$5, was allowed to go on his suspended sentence by Magistrate Ellis this morning.

A writ for damages for alleged libel has been issued at the instance of Mrs. Susan Bonaventure of Upper Yorkville.

The Vernal Transfer Company intends starting a coupe line here.

A concert in aid of the Red Cross fund will be given in the City Street Hallway company.

The Hamilton and Barton Incline Railway will be sold to a syndicate.

Mr. Sharpe's singing was a delight and surprise from beginning to end.

The Dainty Duchess will be the attraction at Shea's next week.

"The Rounders" to-night. At the Grand Opera House to-night.

"Princess"—The Lost Paradise. The patrons of the Princess Theatre will be delighted at the revival of Belasco's famous comedy drama.

The Contingent Will Attend. The officers and men of the Toronto corps of the Canadian contingent.

Caledonian Concert. Attention is called to the announcement of the great annual Scottish event of the season.

Even a Star Has Troubles. Mr. John E. Dodson, who plays the leading part, so well in "Because the Loved One," will be at the Grand Opera House to-night.

Boston Laundry Star is a little better than the very best that is produced in the laundry.

At Hereford has placed a bet of \$1000 on Joe Davis in the cup.

DR. MAVET ELECTED CHAIRMAN

North Toronto Farm of 150 Acres Sells for \$10,700—Other Interesting Notes.

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Committees were struck as follows: Management and Supply—Trustees Mavet, Joy, Rice, Hayes, Goodieks.

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WARD 6 CONSERVATIVES

The regular monthly meeting of the Conservative Association of Ward 6 was held to-night in the hall of the O.T.R. Y.M.C.A.

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A Pigeon Shoot. A pigeon shoot at Ontario's Hotel, Eglington, yesterday afternoon, drew out many sportsmen, and an enjoyable afternoon's sport was had.

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PRESS CONFERENCE

Larger Contributions Received, More Interest Shown and Everything More Prosperous Than Ever Before.

Rev. Dr. Parsons' Resignation From Knox Church Accepted—He Will Receive \$2000 a Year Superannuation—Some Dissension in the Board.

The annual congregational meetings of a number of the Presbyterian churches of the city were held last night. The reports presented by the managers were in almost every case encouraging, showing prosperity throughout the past year and an earnest of what may be expected during 1900.

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AMID WILDEST ENTHUSIASM "The Sale's Enormous" Still it ought to be even greater, in view of the quality and value offered.

THE MOUNTED RIFLES AND "E" BATTERY TOOK TRAINS AT QUEBEC FOR HALIFAX.

On all sides there were handshakes and fond farewells. Many were the affectionate embraces and the warm congratulations which were showered upon the departing contingents.

Quebec, Jan. 17.—The first train of the Intercolonial Railway, conveying the Mounted Rifles, to the number of 90, pulled out of the station at 1:45 o'clock this afternoon.

Among the Quebecers who will be at Halifax to bid farewell to the second Canadian contingent will be Dr. F. M. Wells, Dr. J. G. Price, R. J. Davidson and Joseph Gingras.

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THEY ASK FOR NEW LEGISLATION

Regarding Taxation—Endorsed the Early Closing Bill—Officers Were Elected.

Many matters of importance were dealt with at the annual meeting of the Toronto branch of the Retail Merchants' Association of Canada, held in the Temple Building last night.

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TO RECEIVE THE WESTERNERS.

Arrangements Made at Ottawa for the Proper Entertainment of the Mounted Police.

Ottawa, Jan. 17.—The following detail from the Ottawa brigade will be furnished to receive the Northwest battalion on Friday morning next.

A junior sergeant and five privates, sergeant and five privates, sergeant and five privates, sergeant and five privates, sergeant and five privates.

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SEALLED LEAD PACKETS ONLY. BEWARE OF SUBSTITUTES.

DESCRIPTION BY THE CORRESPONDENT OF THE LONDON DAILY NEWS A REMARKABLE PIECE OF WORK—HOW THE DEAD GENERAL WAS LAID IN THE GRAVE OF THE DISASTER.

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WORK OF ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE

Annual Meeting Was Held in the Temple Building Last Night—200 Present.

There Must Have Been a Kitchen Home

THEY ASK FOR NEW LEGISLATION Regarding Taxation—Endorsed the Early Closing Bill—Officers Were Elected.

Many matters of importance were dealt with at the annual meeting of the Toronto branch of the Retail Merchants' Association of Canada, held in the Temple Building last night.

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But the Prompt Measures of a Physician Saved Emma Carey's Life.

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The patient was found lying on the floor, and the physician found Emma Carey, a young woman, writing in pain from the effects of a dose of carbolic acid.

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His Death Will Cause a Reorganization of the Ogilvie Milling Company.

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- In the Basement. 12 only Square Canvas-covered Trunks, 34 inches long, covered bottom, hardwood slats, iron-bound corners, good lock, spring clasp, deep tray, with covered hat and boot boxes, a \$4.25 trunk for \$3.50. Frank Miller's Celebrated Black Harness Oil, in pint tins, regular price 35c, Friday two for \$1.35. 72 only First Quality Enamelled Ware Saucepans, with cover, hold 8 quarts (wine measure), our special sale price 35c each, Friday \$2.25. 45 only Boys' Sleds, nicely painted and striped, regular prices 20c, 25c and 30c each, Friday for \$1.18. 100 only J. and G. Meakin's Ironstone China-footed Comports and Fruit Bowls, suitable for restaurant use, our regular price \$1.50, Friday \$1.20. A collection of First Quality Pressed Glassware, including Calvary Trays, Footed Berry Bowls, Vinegar Bottles, Cologne Bottles, Ice Bowls and Syrup Jugs, sold regularly at from 20c to 40c each, your choice for \$1.10. 1000 dozen China Tea and Bread and Butter Plates, with gold band on edge and spring in center of plate, sold regularly at 75c and 90c per doz., each at \$5.50. Gloves, Hosiery and Handkerchiefs. Ladies' 7 Hook Lacing Fine Kid Glove, in tan, brown and black, with self-embroidered backs; this is a very reliable and perfect-fitting glove, regularly sold at one dollar, Friday pair \$1.50. Ladies' Extra Fine 14-inch Black Cashmere Gloves, regular price 25c, Friday \$1.10. Men's Kid Mitts, wool lined, elastic wrists and fur tops, color black and black, all sizes, regular \$1.00, Friday \$1.50. Ladies' 4 1/2 and Broad Ribbed Black Cashmere Hosiery, soft make and finish, seamless heel and toe, double ankle, sole, heel and toe, regular price 30c, Friday \$1.15. 50 dozen only Misses' and Boys' 7-1 Ribbed Black Cashmere Hosiery, seamless foot, double sole, heel and toe, good heavy weight, sizes 6 to 7 1/2 only, regular price 25c a pair, Friday \$1.12 1/2. Ladies' Misses' and Boys' 2-1 Ribbed Extra Fine Black Worsted Hosiery, with plain, seamless feet, sizes 6 to 10, regular price 45c a pair, Friday \$1.23. Ladies' Fine Pure Irish Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, wide and narrow hems, regular 10c, Friday 4 for \$1.25. Men's Mitts, extra good value, in pure silk, broadheads and plaids, large size, regular \$1.50, Friday \$1.50. Cream Silk and Colored Sequin Lace, 6 1/2 inches wide, regular 50c to 85c a yard, Friday \$1.25. Ladies' White Linen Collars and Cuffs, plain stand up and turn over, all sizes, regular 12 1/2c and 15c, Friday \$1.50. Books and Stationery. 480 Cloth-bound Books, gilt titles, among them are the following authors: Dickens, Scott, Kingsley, Marryat, Lytton, Hawthorne, Dumas, Brontë, Agulgar, Evans, Wilson, etc., regular 20c books, Friday three for \$1.10. 420 only packages of Fine Note Paper, rough and smooth finish, ruled and plain, regular 25c package, for \$1.10. 360 Children's Picture Books, in illustrated board covers, regular 25c each, for \$1.12 1/2. 200 Job Pocket Diaries for 1899, in cloth and leather bindings, regularly sold at from 25c to 80c each, clearing at 5c and \$1.10. 40 copies left of the Good Words and Sunday Magazine at \$1.50. Men's Furnishings and Umbrellas. 17 dozen Men's White Laundry Shirts, open back, reinforced front, linen bosom and cuffs or wristbands, some of our regular lines slightly soiled through handling, all sizes, regular price 50c and 75c each, Friday \$1.39. Men's Fine Imported English Cardigan Jackets, mohair bound edges and pockets, in dark brown and black, worsted finish, large size, regular price \$1.75 and \$2.00 each, Friday \$1.50. Men's Heavy Imported Rib Cashmere Sox, English make, full fashioned, double heel and toe, close ribbed tops, fast back, sizes 9 1/2 to 11, regular price 30c pair, Friday \$1.21. Nightgown Cases, made of fine broadcloth Turkish cloth, button top, with "Night Dress" worked on top cover, these come in pink, blue, white, green and old gold, regular value 35c each, Friday \$1.09. Men's 25-inch Steel Rod Umbrellas, best paragon frame, assorted natural wood handles, gold and silver trimmed, worth \$1.25, Friday \$1.69. Furs, Hats and Caps. Ladies' Black Tipped Mauve and White Thibet, Raccoon, Persian and Grey Lamb Muffs, satin linings, regular prices \$3.50 to \$6.00, Friday \$2.49. Ladies' Mauve, White and Black Tipped Bows, 4 1/2 inches long, silk ties, regular price \$4.50, Friday \$2.49. Ladies' Natural Dark Alaska Sable Scarfs, long fronts, shaped neck, finished at throat and ends of fronts with tails, regular prices \$17.50 and \$20.00, Friday \$15.00. Men's Extra Fine English Fur Felt Stiff Hats, balances of late fall styles, lined with white satin; also Square Crown Stiff Hats, unlined, in black and brown colors, regular price \$2.00, Friday \$1.75. Men's Frieze and Navy Cloth Caps, Manitoba shape, with double roll band and Italian cloth linings, regular price 25c, Friday \$1.12 1/2. Men's and Boys' Clothing. Men's Suits, double-breasted black Worsteds, hard finish, sizes are 36, 37 and 38, also all-wool brown Canadian tweed, single-breasted, square fronts, scooped, with silk-faced lapels, sizes 34 to 42-inch, regular price \$10.00, Friday \$5.95. Men's Trousers, dark Canadian tweed, all wove, in grey and black striped patterns, sizes 32 to 40 waist, regular price \$2.00, Friday \$1.39. Youth's 3-piece Suits, short pants, single-breasted saque shape, all-wool Canadian tweed, sizes 27 to 33, regular price \$4.50, Friday \$2.90. Boys' Overcoats, with detachable capes, made of all-wool tweeds, in grey and fawn shades, Italian cloth linings, sizes 21 to 28, regular prices \$4. to \$5, Friday \$2.69. Boys' 3-piece Suits, Brownie style, in dark Canadian tweeds, coats with deep collars, braided trimmed, vest to match, good strong lining, knee pants, lined, sizes 22 to 26, regular price \$2.50 and \$3.00, Friday \$1.95. Carpets and Matting. 465 yards Best English Body Brussels Carpet, new floral and conventional designs, in shades of blue, brown, fawn and bronze, regular price \$1.10 and \$1.15 a yard, Friday \$1.00. 750 yards English Tapestry Carpet, new goods, bright and attractive colors, suitable for rooms or halls, regular price 40c a yard, Friday \$1.30. 700 yards Extra Heavy Jointless China Matting, new goods, fancy checks, stripes and variegated effects, blues, browns, greens and reds, regular prices 25c and 30c a yard, Friday \$1.20.

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THE CITY'S CASE HUNG UP. After reviewing the proceedings of the conference on Tuesday between the city and the Attorney-General in reference to the city's case against the Gas Company, we realize the fact that the city has been out-manoeuvred. What the city applied for was the fiat of the Attorney-General to enter suit against the Consumers' Gas Company. What the city actually received was an ambiguous reply, which will have the effect of tying up the case for three months at least, and of probably preventing it subsequently. If Hon. Mr. Gibson had granted his fiat as requested, the suit could have been filed immediately, with a very fair prospect of having it heard on March 8 next. As it is, the matter hangs fire. Counsel for the city and the company are to confer to see if an agreement cannot be come to as to the proper constitution of the action, if such an agreement is impossible, then Mr. Gibson promises that he will either issue his fiat or have the act of 1887 amended so as to remove all doubt as to the city's right to proceed independently with the action. The objections to the Attorney-General's decision are, first, that the inception of the action is delayed, and, secondly, that the action becomes complicated and our rights prejudiced by reason of the act being amended while the case is sub judice. The Gas Company are merely postponing the case the better for themselves. In a lawsuit time is always in favor of the defendant. Besides, there is no assurance that Mr. Gibson will be able to secure the amendment to the act, as promised. It would be by no means impossible for the Gas Company to put up such a lobby as would defeat the proposed amendment. The city, by consenting to Mr. Gibson's compromise, has to lose three or four months' time and run all these risks. Furthermore, by consenting to an amendment to the act at this stage, the city may debar itself from insisting on the cancellation of the company's charter, as it might otherwise be in a position to do when the facts are all before the court.

Why should the Attorney-General subject the city to all this delay, and these risks, when the whole trouble can be avoided by his joining with the city in the prosecution of the action? The case is eminently one for the Attorney-General to take up and prosecute. While the Privy Council has decided that the case would be properly constituted with the city of Toronto as plaintiff, our own Court of Appeal, or at least a member of the court, has intimated that the Attorney-General was the proper party to institute proceedings. The association of the Attorney-General, therefore, while it cannot prejudice our case, may materially facilitate its progress to the highest tribunal, if recourse to it should be again deemed necessary. The ground we take is that the Attorney-General should not only willingly issue his fiat when requested by the city, but that he should proceed against the Gas Company upon his own initiative. It is a general principle of law that the Attorney-General is the proper party to see that all public statutes are enforced, and the act under which the city claims is a public act. Furthermore, in the Attorney-General is vested the enforcement of all public trusts.

Canada's Interest in the War. The dragging of the colonies into war about a question with which they have absolutely nothing to do, and the expenditure of their money for the maintenance of Great Britain on the settlement of a local quarrel about the franchise, six thousand miles away, are surely objectionable lessons against the force of which no sane advocate of imperial federation can be proof—Bylander in Weekly Sun.

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Want Three Females. Officials of the Mercer Reformatory were looking for three females, Minnie Carter, Sarah Smith and Libby Collins, who made their escape from that institution between 5 and 6 o'clock last evening. The Mercer Reformatory is nearly an hour from their departure.

Dr. Longstreet Again. Dr. Longstreet of Cincinnati spoke on "Single Tax" before a meeting of the Toronto Jewish Literary and Social Union last night in the Temple Building. In the discussion which followed his address several important points were brought out. President H. Lazarus was in the chair.

To Remove the Fence. Chancellor Boyd will to-day hear the Township of King's motion to restrain Charles McArthur and G. Pottinger from maintaining a fence on the public highway known as the Lyndhurst road, running between the 14th and 15th concessions of King.

Jury to be Addressed. The Criminal Assize Court grand jury will be addressed this morning at 11 o'clock by Mr. Justice Falconbridge before the indictment charging Motorman Robert Fowles and Livery Driver Arthur Kinisla with manslaughter is considered.

Cotton Markets. New York, Jan. 17.—Cotton futures closed steady. Jan. and April 7.50, Feb. 7.52, March 7.55, May, June and Aug. 7.58, July 7.40, Sept. 6.85, Oct. 6.77, Nov. 6.71, Dec. 6.70.

The Baby Sick? Then probably it's a cold. Babies catch cold so easily and recover so slowly. Not slowly, however, when you use Vapo-Cresolene. Then a single night is all that is necessary for a cure. You just put some Cresolene in the saucer, light the lamp beneath, and place near the crib. While baby sleeps he breathes in the healing vapor. Cold loathes, inflamed membranes heal, and all trouble ceases. It's a perfect specific for whooping-cough and croup.

James Was "Touched." James Wainwright, a visitor in the city from Essex, is making his gold watch and \$45 in money. The valuables disappeared last night while he was sight-seeing in the city. He was warmly wrapped up in a blanket and made his presence known by crying. The police took charge of the foundling. The above named gentlemen are at present addressing the electors at Lakeshoreville for that village and district.

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MR. FOSTER AT SHERBROOKE.

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Sherbrooke, Que., Jan. 17.—The Sherbrooke industries were to-day visited by the Hon. George E. Foster and Hon. T. Chase Casgrain, accompanied by the Conservative candidate, the Hon. John McIntosh, Mr. H. H. Pope, M.P. for Compton, and others.

These gentlemen attended yesterday the annual meeting of the Liberal Conservative Association, which is always held in Sherbrooke, as the most central point. Alto no unusual efforts were made to secure a good meeting, this one was the largest ever held, and the enthusiasm was an intense description.

The above named gentlemen are all speaking addressing the electors at Lennoxville for that village district.

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James Walworth, a visitor in the city, James Exeter, is minus his gold watch in a money. The watch was lost last night while he was sight-seeing in Toronto. The watch is valued at \$100 and the owner has been requested to make a search for the lost money and timepiece.

The Patriotic Fund.  
The treasurer at Ottawa of the patriotic fund announced receipt of \$30,750 in late, with the \$5000 from the Bank of Nova Scotia and the \$15,000 from the Canadian Pacific Railway to come, the cheque for \$30,750 having reached him. Thus the total practically is \$50,750.

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Exceptional values for January in Eiderdown quilts, satin and satene, covered in particularly handsome designs.

White Quilts

A fine stock of new patterns in Marcelline Quilts, for single, double or extra large beds; honeycomb, speckled, etc., 50c and \$1; honeycomb, pearl hemmed, ready for use, full double bed size, \$1.25.

Lace Curtains

Fine Nottingham Lace, white or cream, good new patterns, at \$1.25 and \$1.50 a pair; Brussels and Swiss Applique Curtains, in assorted values for January sale.

Blankets

Great January sale values offered in Scotch, Scotch and Canadian Blankets. At \$2.50 we offer a natural color, unshrinkable blanket of double bed size.

Flannelettes and Ceylon Flannels

See the extra January values in good patterns and new colorings at 7c, 9c, 12c, 15c and 20c.

The "Strathcona" Wrap

For evening, street or carriage wear—in all-wool reversible clothing, in plain colors, \$1.50 to \$2.00 per length. Dress lengths, \$2.75 to \$4.75. Special dress lengths, \$2.00.

New Embroideries

New stock now in full display. Swiss embroideries, fancy designs and insertions, in handsome lace-like designs. Special January offers in embroideries at 2c, 3c and 7c.

Dress Fabrics

See the special table display of Black Dress Fabrics and Suitings. Extra values in skirt lengths, plain and fancy, \$1.50 to \$2.00 per length. Dress lengths, \$2.75 to \$4.75. Special dress lengths, \$2.00.

New Shirt Waists

In cashmere, opera fannel and other fabrics, made up in good styles, at exceptionally attractive prices.

Mail Orders

For goods or samples and all enquiries by mail given prompt attention.

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King Street—Opposite the Postoffice.

AGRICULTURISTS OF YORK

Met in Markham and Woodbridge Respectively Yesterday in Annual Meeting

AND ELECTED THEIR OFFICERS.

Lord Minto, Lord Roberts and General Buller Made Honorary Officers.

W.A. MURRAY & CO. LIMITED

MEN'S FURNISHINGS.

Men's Furnishings, too, get a touch of the January clearing-up notion. More for less money is what you have before you for Friday and Saturday. You'll not pass the chance, we know, because of—no present use—better think of what's going to be needed later on. You know our usual values—always consistent, always satisfying—if that's the case, it is not worth while looking after this very special chance we give you—a couple of dollars saved now means a lessening of the price of your spring suit. That's a very good way to look at things, we think.

On Sale Friday and Saturday

Men's Furnishing Department

White Shirts and Collars.

The "King" Patent White Shirt, bosom detached from body, open back, wristbands only, short bosoms, sizes 14 1/2 to 16 1/2, regular \$1.25, .75 Friday and Saturday only, each

The Monarch Full Dress Shirt, large front, open front, one stud, cuffs attached or wristbands, sizes 14 to 17, regular \$1.25, Friday and Saturday only, each

The "King" Patent Full Dress Shirt, large bosom detached from body, open back and front, cuffs attached, sizes 14 to 17, regular \$1.50, Friday and Saturday only, each

Welch, Margotson & Co.'s best quality 4-ply linen collars, Specialist, Kenmore, San Remo, Ottawa, Fitzwilliam, El Grande, Wolsely, Unique, Stock Exchange, &c., &c., sizes 14 to 18 inches, your choice on Friday and Saturday only, 6 for

Fine quality 4-ply English Cuffs, for links, round or square corners, sizes 10, 10 1/2, 11, reg. 30c pair, Friday and Saturday only, pair

Underwear.

Men's Shetland Lambs' Wool Shirts and Drawers, ribbed wrists, ankles and skirts, shirts double-breast, drawers spiced seams, full fashioned, sizes 34 to 42 inches, regular \$1.25 each, Friday and Saturday only, .75 each

Men's Fine Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers, medium weight, shirts double-breast, drawers beige tops, large pearl buttons, unshrinkable, sizes 34 to 44 ins., reg. \$1.50 each, Friday and Saturday only, each

Men's Fine Soft Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers, medium weight, shirts double-breast, drawers beige tops, large pearl buttons, unshrinkable, sizes 34 to 42 inches, regular \$1.75 each, Friday and Saturday only, each

Men's Sky-Blue Pure Wool Shirts and Drawers, medium weight, shirts single breast, drawers beige tops, large pearl buttons, sizes 34 to 40 inches, regular \$1.75 each, Friday and Saturday only, each

Men's Heavy Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers, ribbed skirts, wrists and ankles, full fashioned, shirts single breast, spiced elbows, drawers spiced seats and knees, absolutely unshrinkable, sizes 34 to 40 inches, regular \$2.00 and \$2.25 each, Friday and Saturday only, each

Men's Heather Mixed Scotch Wool Ribbed Half Hose, seamless, winter weight, 10, 10 1/2 and 11 inches, regular 30c per pair, Friday and Saturday only, pair

Men's Black Cashmere Half Hose, seamless, medium weight, 10, 10 1/2 and 11 inches, spiced heels and toes, regular 40c pair, Friday and Saturday only, pair

Gloves.  
A genuine snap in Men's Unlined Kid and Dog Skin Gloves, your choice of the following standard brands, all first quality, assorted tan shades, "Rouillon," "Fowles," "Badminton Tan," "Craven Tan," "Regence" and "Dauphine"; Wertheimer's "St. Leger," "Derby," "Monarch" and "Peerless"; Dent's "Regulation" and "Tan Driving" with rubber cleats, regular prices \$1.35 to \$1.75 per pair, Friday and Saturday

only

Linen Handkerchiefs.

Men's 3/4 size Irish Linen Handkerchiefs, tape and cord borders, regular \$2.25 dozen, Friday and Saturday only, 6 for

Men's 3/4 size Fine Irish Linen Handkerchiefs, tape and cord borders, regular \$3 dozen, Friday and Saturday only, 6 for

Men's 3/4 size Irish Linen Handkerchiefs, hemstitched, 1/2 and 3/4-inch hems, initialed handkerchief hemstitched, 1-inch hem; plain tape and corded borders, regular \$4 dozen, your choice Friday and Saturday

only, 6 for

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DISTRICT AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

Reports Received and Officers Elected for the New Year

Last Night's Meeting.

There was a large attendance at the annual meeting of the City of Toronto Agricultural Society, held last night in St. George's Hall. The most important business was the election of new officers, and the report of the directors.

The latter was presented by the retiring president, George Vair. During the past year the following prizes had been given to the Canadian Horse Show: \$25 for best pair of draught horses or geldings; to Industrial Exhibition Association, \$500, for best specimens of horses, cattle, plants, grains, fruits, flowers; to Chrysanthemum Show, \$100, and to Toronto Poultry Association, \$10.

The treasurer's statement showed the receipts to be \$628.10, including a balance of \$123.10 carried forward, and the expenditure \$220.50, balance of \$407.60 remaining. The membership fees amounted to \$84.10.

The following are the officers for the ensuing year: President, F. G. Close; 1st Vice-president, E. B. Saunders; 2nd Vice-president, R. C. Tefft.

The retiring president, R. C. Tefft, was the recipient of an address from the united boards, accompanied by a handsome gold watch, suitably engraved. At the meeting of the newly-elected board, Mr. Hall thanked his predecessor, known by crying. The police took charge of the foundling, and removed the youngster to the Infant Home in the patrol wagon.

James Was "Touched."

James Walworth, a visitor in the city, James Exeter, is minus his gold watch in a money. The watch was lost last night while he was sight-seeing in Toronto. The watch is valued at \$100 and the owner has been requested to make a search for the lost money and timepiece.

The Patriotic Fund.

The treasurer at Ottawa of the patriotic fund announced receipt of \$30,750 in late, with the \$5000 from the Bank of Nova Scotia and the \$15,000 from the Canadian Pacific Railway to come, the cheque for \$30,750 having reached him. Thus the total practically is \$50,750.

ONLY EIGHTEEN YEARS OLD

And Eight Years Tortured With Arsenic, Kept in an Airtight Room for Months. Was Cured With Clarke's Kola Compound.

Mr. L. O. Lemieux, C. P. R. engineer, Windsor, Minn., writes: "My son, who is just fifteen years of age, has been a terrible sufferer from asthma for eight years. Hundreds of dollars I spent on doctors and remedies during these years only brought temporary relief. For months he was kept in an airtight room. About the first of September, 1898, we purchased some Clarke's Kola Compound. He took in all seven bottles, and has since been completely cured. It has certainly been a blessing to him." Sold by all druggists. Enclose six cents in stamps for free sample, to The Griffiths and Macpherson Co., Limited, 121 Church-street, Toronto.

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Friday Worth Remembering

If you're wise enough to read the story of our big price reductions and come and profit by them. With stocktaking so near, we're compelled to make extra lavish bargains for your benefit. That's why this week's figures are better than ever for you.

Fur Caps—Felt Hats. Smoking Jackets at \$3.45. Remarkable Underwear Selling.

Boys' and Men's Winter Caps, in imitation black Persian lamb, well finished, good linings, velvet or Dominion shapes, Friday, .25

Men's Driving Shape Scalette Caps, sliding bands, lined with blue satin, black sweatband, regular price 1.00 and 1.25, Friday for

Men's Fur Caps, in Baltic Seal, Astrachan, Beaver or French Otter, wedge shapes, fine satin linings, assorted sizes, regular prices up to 4.00, Friday

Men's Hats, assorted table top, in dark brown, tawny or fawn colors, fine quality, fur felt, newest shapes, regular prices 1.50 to 2.00, Friday only

More Jacket Selling at Very Low Figures.

75 Ladies' Heavy Cloth Jackets, nicely trimmed with black silk braid, storm collar, fly front, woolloped, round skirts, colors black, navy and brown, regular 13.50

Ladies' Tailor Made Jackets, in black, navy, fawn and castor, the clearings of a few of our nice lines, some of them were 12.50 and 16.00

Ladies' Black Caps, made of fine cloth in black only, with storm collar edged with fur and down front

Children's Coats, 99c. Children's Eiderdown Coats, assorted colors, Mother Hubbard styles, lined throughout with fine satin, Angora trimming, regular 2.00

Velvet Blouses.

In colors violet, navy, cardinal and green, made with full collar, detachable collar, pointed yoke and pleated back

Ladies' Flannelette Blouses, in light and dark colors, very superior quality, regular price 75c. Your choice Friday for

5c and 25c Hosiery.

Infants' Plain All-wool Hosiery, double heel and toe, seamless feet, made of good pure wool yarn, sizes 4, 4 1/2, 5, regular 10c. Special, to clear, 5c

Ladies' Extra Fine Plain Black Cashmere Hosiery, double heel and toe, full fashioned, made of extra choice soft pure wool yarn, warranted to give good wear, sizes 9, 9 1/2, 10, regular 35c. Special Friday

Men's Boots.

Men's \$1.75 Boots at \$1.00. They're Men's Felt Elastic Side Boots, fine warm felt lining, solid leather soles, sizes 9, 10 and 11 only, regular price 1.75, Friday, special at

Men's \$2.50 Hockey Boots at \$1.45. They're made of Chocolate and Tan Box Calf and Oil Grain Leather, regulation style with instep strap attached, good serviceable hockey or walking boots, sizes 8 to 10, regular price 2.50, 2.25 and 2.50, Friday 8 a.m., your choice at

Linings, Prints and Satens.

180 yards Black Farmer's Satin, heavy quality, 65c. Friday

400 yards Linings, in colored lawns, olive green and dark green shades only, regular price 10c, Friday

130 yards 40-inch Black Twilled Costume Cloth. Friday clearing price

400 yards Navy Blue Satene, with small spot about one inch apart, regular 15c. Friday

Carpet Chances.

300 yards Heavy English Brussels Carpets, 11 1/2 runners, some black-plated, others have puck stoppers and concealed sizes, for boys, 8, 8 1/2, 9, 10-inch sizes, clear out this limited quantity on Friday morning, at per

250 yards Heavy Tapestry Carpets, our 45c and 60c line, to go on sale Fri.

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400 yards Canadian Oil Cloth, all widths, black, fawn and blue patterns, regular 25c and 25c per square yard, Friday, per square yard

20 Tapestry Carpets, eastern design, full size, heavy fringe top and bottom, good selection, regular \$4.75 and \$5.00 per pair, Friday (cash), per pair

55c yards Remnants and Traveler's Samples of Cretonne, Cambric, Denim, Gingham, Colored Muslin, and White Spot Muslin, suitable for cushions, curtains and coverings, from 10c to 30c per yard, Friday

400 yards Canvas Oil Cloth, all widths, black, fawn and blue patterns, regular 25c and 25c per square yard, Friday, per square yard

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OPPOSE NICKEL EMBARGO.

Mass Meeting at Sudbury Demands Removal of Restrictions Upon the Industry.

TAKE OFF THE ROYALTY AS WELL

Hon. E. J. Davis, Commissioner of Crown Lands, on a Tour Gathering Information-Some Warm Speeches.

Sudbury, Jan. 17.—(Special.)—A fixed bad law would be better than a shifting good one.

This epigrammatic remark from the lips of J. R. Gordon of Sudbury tersely voiced the feeling of a public meeting held at the capital of the nickel industry last evening.

Canadian Copper Company.

The representatives of the Administration spent the afternoon and evening of yesterday with the Canadian Copper Company, and together with the World's commission, were very much impressed by the proposals assumed by that corporation.

Capital Deferred by Law.

Having given Mr. Davis his object lesson, the men of Sudbury and the neighboring districts sought to impress upon him that Nipissing and the other districts of the nickel industry are just as valuable as the districts controlled and operated by the nickel corporations.

Abolish the Royalty.

Such statements as these were made at the public meeting in the evening, and many of them with great warmth. In fact, Mr. Davis must have been surprised to hear such wholesale criticism of the laws as were launched in his presence.

Embargo Rescinded.

The meeting last insisted that the order-in-council of November last compelling the refining of nickel in the province be rescinded.

Nickel Refineries.

The chief argument produced in support of this demand consisted of a contention that the Government, in passing such a law, had not taken into consideration the establishment of refineries in Canada.

Would Restrict Market.

While it was maintained that the establishment of refineries in Ontario would not to any great extent increase the labor market, argument was advanced with a view to showing that the compulsory refining of the metal in this province would work a hardship on the mine-owner.

Makes the Law Stable.

The above is an outline of the chief specific demands made by the meeting, but as indicated in the opening sentence of this communication, what the gathering most insisted upon was some sort of stability in the regulations.

Get Expert Advice.

Mr. R. R. McConnell made a practical suggestion to the Government, should it be proposed that the Government should go about determining upon a fixed mining policy in a practical business-like method.

Resolutions Adopted.

As a result of the meeting the following resolutions were unanimously adopted in the presence of the committee.

W. A. Quibell, that all royalties should be abolished.—Carried.

(2) Moved by J. O'Connor, seconded by J. F. Black, that the Order-in-Council of November, 1898, relative to compulsory refining of nickel in this province, be rescinded.—Carried.

(3) Moved by John Frawley, seconded by P. Cochrane, that all mines and minerals already discovered, patented, applied for, and to be discovered, should be placed upon the same footing of equality.—Carried.

(4) Moved by J. R. Gordon, seconded by Thos. Foster, that all Crown lands be open for lease or sale as mineral lands, and that they be not withdrawn by any Order-in-Council.—Carried.

(5) Moved by A. McCharles, seconded by R. A. Seill, that the prices of mineral lands should be made uniform, say \$2.50 per acre.

(6) Moved by A. McCharles, seconded by J. Frawley, that the amount required to be expended on development work, \$400 an acre, or \$1.00 an acre each year for three years, as the purpose of such work is not to develop a mine, but simply to find out if the property is worth anything or not.—Carried.

(7) Moved by P. Cochrane, seconded by D. O'Connor, that a mining office be established in Sudbury, a competent man placed therein, and all necessary maps furnished, and that all applications to be made on a map when made, and that all applications to the department be withdrawn by any Order-in-Council.—Carried.

(8) Moved by J. R. Gordon, seconded by W. A. Quibell, that the Government be requested to largely increase the grants to mining and metallurgical research in this district.—Carried.

(9) Moved by A. McCharles, seconded by P. Cochrane, that the Government should offer any further aid that may be required to secure the immediate construction of a railway as an independent "mineral road" from Sudbury to the Georgian Bay, in order to afford the most direct and economical transportation of the mineral and other products of the Sudbury district to a ship-point on the lake, and also to cheapen the cost of coke and coal, and thus promote in a special way the establishment of smelting and refining works within the district and the greater development of our mines.—Carried.

(10) Moved by R. R. Gamay, seconded by J. R. Gordon, that any mineral lands be never, under any circumstance, changed by Order-in-Council.

The assent which adopted these resolutions included a lot of men whose interests are connected with those of the Canadian Copper Company, but there were also present the leading independent citizens of Sudbury, and indeed, residents of many other portions of the nickel region.

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