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Pittsburgh...001100120-5 12 0
New York...001000001-2 5 2
Batteries—Chesnut and O'Connor; Carrick, Taylor and Bowerman.

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EASTERN LEAGUE.

At Rochester—R. H. E.
Hartford...1121005001-10 8 4
Rochester...100000010-2 7 3
Batteries—Hemming and Steelman; Murphy and Phelps. Umpire—Hunt.

At Schenectady—
Syracuse...100030033-10 13 6
Springfield...07002102-12 18 9
Batteries—Pfannmiller and Duff; Papalau and Toft. Umpire—O'Loughlin.

At Toronto—First Game—
Worcester...201100000-4 11 2
Toronto...020000010-2 5 9
Batteries—Magee and Kittredge; Williams and Roach. Umpire—Rinn.

At Toronto—Second Game—
Worcester...0000100-1 4 2
Toronto...0401081-9 12 3
Six innings; called on account of darkness. Batteries—Crystal, Klobedanz and Kittredge; Alloway and Bennis. Umpire—Rinn.

At Montreal—
Providence...01000200-4 9 0
Montreal...010000000-1 5 0
Batteries—Dunkle and Leahy; Cross and Moran. Umpire—Egan.

WEST ELGIN CHAMPIONSHIP.
Dutton, Ont., Sept. 19.—The Fingal Tigers today played the Bobs for the championship of West Elgin. The Bobs retaining the championship. At the end of the first half of the seventh with the score 7 to 6 in favor of Dutton, McDiarmid called the game, giving it to Dutton, on account of rain. Batteries—Tigers, Stokes and Gies; Bobs, McCallum and McKellar.

TORONTO TEAM FOR 1911.
Toronto, Ont., Sept. 18.—Ambitious and far-reaching are the plans of the Toronto baseball club for 1911. A stock company, with a capital of \$10,000, has been formed to buy the franchise now held by the Ferry Company, for \$8,000, and remove the ball grounds to the city side of the bay. The island has been found impracticable for ball purposes. Toronto will drop out of the Eastern League and join the American League, which, it is understood, will repeat the pressing invitation to Toronto this year to come in. The Am-

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Burned!

Komatipoort Looted and Destroyed by Boers.

Portuguese Soldiers Sniped by the Burgheers—Notification of Early Return of Canadian Soldiers.

London, Wednesday, Sept. 19.—The arrival of the British at Komatipoort, on the eastern boundary of the Transvaal, and the reported heavy fighting there is exciting keen interest, in view of the possible share the Portuguese may be compelled to take in events. Reports from British sources represent the Boer mercenaries operating in the vicinity of Komatipoort as uncontrolled marauders, who are recklessly destroying and looting, apparently without reference to the main object of the war.

The Lorenzo Marquez correspondent of the Daily Telegraph declares that Komatipoort itself has been looted and burned to the ground. The Boers are sniping Portuguese soldiers. Every available Portuguese soldier has been sent to the frontier, and Portuguese satiers is on the way there. Intercepted Kaffirs state that the fighting is proceeding.

WANTS TO SURRENDER.

London, Sept. 19.—A dispatch to the Central News from Lorenzo Marquez says that it is reported Commandant Viljoen, who succeeded Gen. Botha temporarily as commander-in-chief of the Boer army, is desirous of surrendering to the British.

Spitzkop, Sept. 18.—Gen. Viljoen, who succeeded Gen. Botha in the supreme command of the Transvaal forces, is reported to be moving northward in the direction of Hectorspruit with 3,000 men and 30 guns. He is known as "the firebrand," and will endeavor to protect the war.

FROM LORD ROBERTS.

London, Sept. 18.—The war office has received the following from Lord Roberts, dated Machadodorp, Sept. 17: "Hillyard has established a post at Utrecht, and is moving today toward Vryheid, in co-operation with the mounted corps from Dundee."

"Barton is entrenched at a point where a small bridge was recently destroyed, between Krugersdorp and Randfontein. He has captured a number of sheep, oxen and horses."

"French's cavalry division has advanced from Barberton to the Avoca railway station. French found 50 more locomotives than had been reported. The Boers have blown up several bridges and culverts to the east of Godswaam. The damage will be quickly repaired."

The Canadians.

FIVE HUNDRED COMING HOME SOON.

Ottawa, Ont., Sept. 20.—The militia department has been notified that 500 of the first contingent will return to Canada within the year of their enlistment.

A. H. L. Richardson, of the Strathcona Horse, awarded the Victoria Cross for gallantry in the field, formerly resided in Vancouver, and left the employ of A. Bell Irving Company, cannery, to join the Northwest Mounted Police in 1893.

No. 738, Pte. L. Smith, of the 62nd (St. John's) Fusiliers, is dangerously ill at Cape Town.

WHAT THREE CANUCKS DID.

London, Sept. 20.—A dispatch from Pretoria relates an incident concerning three Canadians of the Mounted Infantry. The distance was made in 16:22. W. S. Skinner, on a tricycle, was only a few feet behind at the finish of the race.

A NEW RECORD.

Albany, N. Y., Sept. 19.—Twenty-four minutes were clipped off the bicycle road record between New York and Albany today by J. T. Achorn, of New York city, of the Royal Arcanum bicycle club. Achorn's time was 11 hours and 46 minutes. The record was held by Raw Hewlett, of Poughkeepsie, whose time was 12 hours and 10 minutes.

JIMMY MICHAEL BEATEN.

Rochester, Sept. 18.—N. C. Stinson, of Cambridge, won a 20-mile motor-paced race from Jimmy Michael in this city tonight. Michael's two motors went wrong and the midjet dropped out after finishing 12 miles; time, 36:15.

THE TURF.

YESTERDAY'S WINNERS.

At Windsor, Ont.—Old Mike, Kid Hampton, Sir Fitzhugh, Handicapper, Ferret and Doncaster Swivel.
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Political Points.

Mr. Thomas Mackie, M.P., was nominated by the Liberals of North Renfrew.

Mr. W. F. McLean, M.P., was renominated on Wednesday by the East York Conservatives.

Sir Charles Tupper, Messrs. Foster, Macdonald, Whitney, Quinn and other Conservative leaders addressed a very large meeting in Massey Hall, Toronto, Wednesday night.

The West Elgin Liberal convention at West Lorne, on Tuesday, discussed the advisability of putting a candidate in the field in North Essex for the federal elections. Owing to the slim attendance no action was taken.

"If Sol White can by any means be cut off, we'll nominate J. C. Patterson or some other good man who'll have a fighting chance of winning, but if White persists in running we'll give him such a beating that he'll never bother us again," declared one of White's opponents.

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London, Thursday, Sept. 20.

A Fine Meeting and Splendid Speeches.

The splendid meeting last night in the Dundas Street Opera House was under the auspices of the Western Ontario Liberal Association, and had no direct relation to the city more than to any of the other constituencies of this important district. Meetings in connection with the city proper will doubtless be held in due time.

Sir Richard delivered a most masterly speech, in which the strength of the Government's record during the past four years, and the platform fallacies and misstatements of the Opposition, were magnificently exposed. This speech, through the press, will have an influence to the remotest bounds of the Dominion.

Mr. John Fraser, M. P., followed in a bright, brief address, which made many hope that he will be heard in London at greater length.

The Hon. George W. Ross, Ontario's Premier, closed the speaking with one of those wonderfully eloquent and short addresses in which he has no superior and few equals. His three points for the future were, (1) a vigorous policy of development of Canada's resources; (2) the principle of fixity of tariff, as opposed to frequent tinkering; and (3) the unity of Canadians of every race and creed, as a necessary preliminary to Canada's proper share in the unity of the Empire.

The meeting was a good one, and creditable to the Western Ontario Liberal Association, of which London is the headquarters.

Archibald Campbell will trim Clarke Wallace to perfection. There must be a solid York for Liberalism, in spite of the gerrymander.

La Presse, the chief Conservative newspaper in Quebec Province, comes out flat-footed against Sir Charles Tupper's assertion that he could, if elected, compel Great Britain to revolutionize her trade policy. It quotes its late chief, Sir John Macdonald, as saying: "You will never have commercial reciprocity between Great Britain and Canada. You want her to become protectionist. She wants Canada to become free trade. It would be as difficult to have a marriage between the north and south poles."

How Is It?

If all the wisdom, honesty and ability in Canadian politics are in the exclusive possession of Sir Charles Tupper's party as it pretends, how is it, pertinently asks the Montreal Herald:

That in the eighteen years of Conservative rule Canada's trade increased only \$3,660,000 per annum, while it increased \$35,500,000 per annum under the Laurier Government?

That the Liberals could in four years give Canada two-cent postage all round instead of three cents at home and five to Britain, and yet wipe out the \$900,000 deficit in the postoffice department bequeathed them by their Conservative predecessors?

That the Liberals could in a few months organize a system of cold storage which has put some \$24,000,000 in the farmers' pockets they would not have received without cold storage?

That the Liberals by reducing the tariff, especially on British goods, could save the people about \$12,000,000 of customs duties in four years, and yet provide sufficient revenue for the public service?

That notwithstanding these reductions of the people's burdens the Liberals could have the deepening of the canals, and yet find the money to pay for the work without adding nearly so much to the public debt as did their opponents?

That the Liberals could reduce the burdens of the people by tariff and post-office changes and yet show a surplus of nearly \$8,000,000 for the past year instead of the deficits shown by their predecessors?

That the Liberal Minister of Agriculture could obtain the removal of the American quarantine against Canadian cattle when their Conservative predecessors would not even try to do so, in this way opening up a market for Canadian cattle which had formerly been closed?

Tariff reduction by the present Government has certainly been substantial. Where \$100 duty was collected under the old system, but \$66 is now collected. This fact cannot be sneered away by Hon. Geo. E. Foster.

President Mackenzie, of the Toronto Street Railway, has met the union forces serving him, has discussed with them their grievances, and granted a general increase of pay. The course is a wise one. The threatened strike would have been injurious to stockholders, employees and the public alike, and the president has acted with commendable discretion in conferring with the men and reaching an amicable understanding.

A Remarkable Trinity.

One of the mottoes displayed in a recent Conservative meeting was "Tupper, Macdonald, and reciprocity in preferential trade." Conservatives may regard the motto blazoned forth so loudly as two great men and a great principle; for our part, the bit of the programme thus tagged on appears to be nothing less than an absurdity. Tupper we know, and we do not think that his handling of the present campaign will fare much better than his prophecies about the last one. He seems to be so mixed up on the question of "Imperialism" that it is difficult to say exactly where he is. The attempt to have two different lines of policy, one for Quebec and one for the rest of the Dominion, is no doubt trying, even for an expert politician.

As to Mr. Macdonald, he is supposed to have a name to conjure with, but without underrating any abilities he may possess, we may be permitted to point out that because he bears the same name he does not necessarily possess the same experience and capability as his father. Of the father's policy we have no desire to speak, as he has passed from the realm of our politics. We think that the son would have shown more respect to Manitoba if he had continued in office there long enough to show what he was able to do, and how he was going to carry out the policy he had planned. Of course if he is the only man to save the Dominion from ruin, Manitoba must give way, but that is a supposition wild in itself, and not very complimentary to the Conservative party.

Now as to the other element in this trio, we maintain that it is meaningless and absurd. What does reciprocity in preferential trade mean? Reciprocity may be good enough in spheres where it can be carried out, and preferential trade as we have it now has done good, but what the mixture of the two would mean is not very clear. As it stands now, it means that Britain must tax the people at home for our benefit. It means that we can control the fiscal policy of Britain which has given her prosperity for more than half a century. Well, if Tupper and Macdonald have to wait for their victory until they can bring this about, they will wait a long time. It is absurd to expect that Canada can remodel the tariff of Britain. We have liberty to deal with our own tariff, and we cannot ask for more. The day that Sir Charles Tupper looks to, when Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, as well as Canada, will ask the Mother Country for an imperial tariff, is not yet, and we cannot sit down and wait for it. We must meet present conditions.

The Toronto World is certainly away off in guessing that the general elections for the Dominion will be held on Oct. 22. That is a Monday, and the general elections are never held on a Monday. Better guess again.

Hon. Wm. Paterson has a neat way of meeting the accusation that the National Policy is still doing business at the old stand. He points out that while the Conservatives were working the machine it only increased the trade of the country by three and a half millions a year, but the Liberals have made it increase business by thirty-five and a half millions. The inference that the Liberals are better qualified to operate the N. P. than are their opponents must be plain to every Conservative believer in it, and in the identity of the present tariff with it.—Montreal Herald.

A Significant Confession.

The Toronto Mail and Empire, in an article dealing with the prospective changes in the Dominion Senate, virtually admits that the Liberals will carry the country once more if, as is expected, a general election takes place before another session of Parliament.

Our Conservative contemporary speculates on the probability of success for various prominent Liberals in the race for two senatorships, which it has reached the conclusion will be vacant soon through non-attendance.

Hon. Wm. Hart, of Kingston, or Mr. Thos. Murray, of Pembroke, it says, will get one of the senatorships to be vacant through the illness of Sir Frank Smith and Dr. Sullivan, who, it says, have been unable to take their seats for two sessions. The other senatorship, it imagines, will go to Toronto, but, of course, it only guesses—with the usual assumption that Toronto must be in it, which does not necessarily follow.

What we desire to point out is the admission of the chief Conservative newspaper that these positions are to be filled by Liberals, though not one of the vacancies can be caused until another session of Parliament is held, which is, of course, the admission that when Parliament re-assembles, after the ensuing general election, a Liberal Government will have the appointment of senators to the vacancies. The law is clear on this subject. A senator must be absent two sessions in succession before his seat can be attacked, and as the seats of neither of the senators can be decreed vacant till Parliament again re-assembles, it will be impossible for Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his colleagues to make a selection until then. Our contemporary is, therefore, somewhat rushing events, but its admission is nevertheless significant. The truth will out.

Hugh John explains that he is not a prohibitionist in principle.—Montreal Herald.

Nor in practice.—ibid.

The Intercolonial in Evidence.

Intercolonial Railway results show the effects of the good management which it in with the present Government. The Intercolonial is a Government line. It is managed by the Minister of Railways. Under the old regime, which came to an end when Hon. John Haggart went out of office with Sir Charles Tupper in 1896, the average annual deficit between 1884 and 1896, was \$250,000. This sum, the taxpayers had to make good, in addition to the large sum required to pay the interest on something like \$50,000,000 which the country paid in constructing and equipping the line. This most unsatisfactory condition of affairs, Hon. Mr. Blair set to work to remedy as soon as he took hold of the Railway Department. He secured the thorough loyalty of the workers on the line by increasing their wages so as to make them fully as good as those paid on other systems. He improved the road bed and the carriage equipment, and thus made the system an attractive and safe one to travel over. He found the western terminus in a field near Lewis, and he provided for its extension to Montreal, the commercial metropolis of the west. He set to work to have the line run on business principles, and the result has been most creditable to him and to the Government of which he is a member. In 1898, instead of a deficit of several hundred thousand dollars, which was a common occurrence under the late government, the Intercolonial paid its way and provided a surplus of \$33,000. This year a surplus of \$120,000 has been earned, and next year at the present rate of prosperity of the Government line, the surplus will in all probability be close on \$300,000.

There can be no gainsaying evidence of this kind. It must be gratifying to Canadians, no matter what their political predilections have been in the past. The patriotic citizen who desires to have the best results possible from the management of our public institutions must reach the conclusion that it would not be well to add in bringing about a change to the old order of things.

The gerrymandered old Liberals give the Tupper organization the cold hand. The old Liberals have no use for men who load the dice and then profess friendship for those they have deeply wronged.

An Opera House.

Sir Richard Cartwright's meeting brings this matter prominently before us.

London is without a hall in which to hold a large public meeting. This is to be regretted, and we hope will soon be remedied.

In France, the theaters, like our schools, are supported from taxation. Might we not to a slight extent, take a leaf out of their books, at least to the extent necessary to secure a good auditorium in which to hold large meetings?

It is well known that London is rather on the small side to build a theater and make it pay. The taxes and insurance are so high that sufficient rental cannot be obtained to pay a reasonable sum on the investment. Why not offer freedom from taxation to any company or individual that will erect a large theater or hall in London, on condition that the city can use it on payment of current expenses for public meetings so many nights in the year? The city does not need a public hall except when used for public meetings; but it does need a hall large enough in which to hold its public meetings. The present City Hall is quite sufficient for the purposes of offices, and we know of no cheaper way to secure a good hall or theater than the way suggested. It will cost the city nothing, and might probably secure what is badly wanted.

Sir Charles' Two Telegrams.

[Toronto Star.]

Everybody knows the powers of Sir Charles Tupper for superlative statements. It is often a point of discussion among those who know him as to whether he does or does not himself believe his exaggerations. On the one hand, it is contended that that part of him which does the talking overpowers the other part that does the believing, and that when he has said a thing it passes immediately into belief. A story is told in connection with his campaign tour through Ontario in 1898. One day he received two telegrams, one from his son, Sir Charles Hibbert, from the Maritime Provinces, saying that matters looked all right down there; another from the Hon. Mr. Anger, from Quebec, saying that things were going satisfactorily in that province. With these two telegrams in his hands Sir Charles addressed an audience, saying:

"I have received telegrams today in which I am assured we will carry every province."

On the following day, addressing another audience, although he had received no additional telegrams, he said:

"I have received scores of telegrams saying that we will sweep the Dominion."

On the third day, with still no other telegrams than those two, he faced an audience, and in a whirlwind of triumph declared:

"I have been overwhelmed with telegrams from every part of the country, telling me that we will sweep the Dominion from end to end."

And after some one has recounted this story his friends renew the discussion as to whether Sir Charles is not living in a fairy world, peopled and ordered by his own splendid imagination.

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EXTRA SPECIAL FRIDAY ONLY

54-INCH DRESS TWEEDS, 35c
54-inch Homespun Dress Tweeds in shades of gray, fawn and brown, regular 65c and 75c goods. Friday only, per yard. 35c

BLACK CASHMERE HOSE, 15c
10 dozen only, Ladies' best All-Wool English Cashmere Hose, our regular 25c line. Special Friday only, per yard. 15c

COLORS AND BLACK SILK VELVETS
15 pieces of our best 50c and 60c Silk Velvets, in black and colors, good pile. Friday only, per yard. 39c

24-INCH GLASS CLOTH, 7c
72 yards only, Pure Linen Checked Glass Toweling, 24 inches wide, regular 10c. Special Friday only, per yard. 7c

DAMASK TRAY CLOTHS, 5c
3 dozen only, Bleached Damask Tray Cloths, fringed edges, regular price 10c. Special Friday only. 5c

FLANNELETTE, 5c
Pink, Blue, Cream, White and Gray Shaker Flannel, good quality, 6c and 7c quality. Special, per yard. 5c

50c AND 65c CORSETS FOR 40c
All sizes of our best 50c and 65c Ladies' Corsets. Friday only, per pair. 40c

ENGLISH PRINCESS CAMBRIC, 7c AND 9c
Special line Fine Linen-Finished English Bleached Princess Cambric Fine Cloths, regular price 10c and 12c. Friday only. 7c and 9c

Three Special Offerings in Blankets

No. 1—\$2 48—An All-Wool, soft in finish, free from grease, extra heavy Blanket; cannot be duplicated for less than \$3 50. Our price while they last, per pair, only. \$2 48

No. 2—\$2 75—A fine close weave Wool Blanket, good size, soft finish, pink and blue borders. Special, per pair. \$2 75

No. 3—\$3 35—An extra heavy Wool Blanket, size 65x85, soft finish, free from grease. Special, per pair. \$3 35

Grocery Dept. Friday.

1 pound of Uncolored Japan 40c Tea 25c
20c for pound 25c
1 pound Young Hyson Tea 40c for 25c
1 pound of our Imperial Blend 25c
Black Tea, 40c, for pound 25c
1 pound of our Imperial Blend 25c
Mixed Tea, 40c, for pound 25c
1/2 pound of our Kobana Pure Ceylon Tea, black or mixed, for 25c
1 pound of our Choice Breakfast 25c
Coffee, for pound 25c
3 packets of Sapollo for 25c
3 packets of 10c Silver Dust 25c
1/2 pound of Pearl Tapioca for 25c
5 pounds of Choice Rice for 25c
1 quart bottle Liverpool Mixed Pickles for 25c
3 packets of Pure Jelly for 25c
12 dozen Jelly Jars, tin tops for 25c
dozen of Crown Imperial, Pint 50c
dozen of Crown Imperial, Quart 75c
25 dozen of Crown Imperial, Quart 75c
Gem Jars, for, per dozen 75c
Rubber Rings for same, dozen 5c

13 Pounds Redpath's Granulated Sugar for \$1.00.

One cask of (General Warren's) China ware, in red and gilt decorations, consisting of cups and saucers, salad bowls, berry sets, fruit dishes, mustache cups, and saucers, spoon trays, tea plates, comb and brush trays, bread and butter plates, celery trays, etc., 25c each and upwards.

The finest assortment of Dining Room and Parlor Lamps in the city, ranging from 75c to \$5 00 each.

One cask of China ware Souvenirs of London design.

25 Per Cent. Off All Japanese China ware.

25 only Brown Stone Teapots for, each 11c
25 only Brown Stone Teapots, large size, for, each 20c

Shoe Department.

Women's Kid Button Shoes, flexible soles, all sizes, new shapes. Friday special \$1 00
Misses' Dongola and Glove Grain Moccasin Boots, all sizes, lace and button, \$1 and \$1 25, Friday 85c
Children's Fine Pebble Lace and Button Boots, splendid of school shoes, soft and dressy, sizes 8 to 10. Friday special 75c

Skirts and Vests.

Metallic Skirts, wool mixture, stripes of gold, silver and green; regular \$1 25. Special, per pair \$1 00
Black Satin Skirts with trim, flannel lined; regular price \$1 50. Special, per pair \$1 00
8 dozen Ladies' Wool Vests, extra heavy weight, open front, long sleeve; regular price 25c. Special, per pair 15c
5 dozen only Ladies' Wool Vests, fleece lined, long sleeves, open fronts; regular price 35c. Special, 25c

Hosiery.

Three Special Bargains.

Ladies' Black Cashmere Hose, sizes 8 1/2, 9 and 9 1/2, double heel and sole; regular price 25c. Special, per pair 19c
Ladies' Black Cashmere Hose, sizes 8 1/2, 9 and 9 1/2, double heel and sole; extra heavy. Special, per pair 25c
Ladies' Black Cashmere Hose, sizes 8 1/2, 9 and 9 1/2, fine quality; regular price 30c. Special per pair 40c

Millinery Department.

LADIES' STREET HATS—25 only Ladies' Street Hats, assorted colors, fancy bands 50c
20 only Ladies' Street Hats, in fawns and greys, trimmed with fancy self bands. Special 60c
25 only Ladies' Street Hats, nicely trimmed with floral and polka dot bands, shades of gray and fawn. Special 85c

Hat Bargains for Friday.

6 dozen only Men's Soft Felt Hats, fine fur stock, silk bands, etc., also Stiff Hats; regular \$1 50 and \$1 75. Friday 1 00
Boys' Tweed Caps, assorted colors, all sizes; also serge, in hook-down shapes. Friday, each 15c

Three Specials From Our Carpet Department.

Special 1-4 pieces Tapestry Carpet, good patterns, well covered. Special, per yard, only 29c
Special 2-5 pieces Tapestry Carpet, new colorings, well covered. Special, per yard, only 44c
Special 3-5 Frame Brussels, border to match, good colorings and patterns. Special, per yard 1 00

Dress Goods.

5 pieces Figured Mohair, small designs, bright luster finish; extra special Friday 130c
5 pieces Wool Figured Dress Goods, 44-inch, good weight designs for skirts and dresses; regular 35c; special Friday 25c
5 pieces Satin Cloth, figured, in small and medium designs, bright satin finish; regular 35c; special Friday 25c
400 yards 54-inch Homespun Suiting in plain gray, green, brown, also small Tweed Effects, full 54-inch wide; regular 50c and 65c; Friday special 42c
5 pieces Black Mohair Crepons for dress skirts in small and medium designs; our regular \$1 25, \$1 50, and \$1 75; Friday special \$1 00

Velvets for 18c Per Yard

10 pieces Velvet, in plain and fancy stripe, for waists, in red, garnet, cardinal, browns and greens; regular 35c and 50c per yard; Friday special 18c

Lining Specials for Friday

20 pieces Black Print Skirt Lining, 30 inches wide, fast colors, good quality, regular 10c; Friday, per yard 5c
500 yards Black Linenette Lining, with figured back, in red, green, and blue, wide width; regular 15c; Friday special 10c

Flannelette Underwear.

Ladies' Gowns in Striped Flannelette, good quality, sizes 56, 58 and 60 inches. To sell, special Friday 50c
Ladies' Striped Flannelette Gowns, trimmed with frills of self, heavy quality. Special Friday 75c
Ladies' Flannelette Gowns, in plain pink, blue and white, Hubbard style, extra heavy quality. Friday 85c
Ladies' Drawers, in Striped Flannelette, pink and grays, well made and good quality. To sell Friday, per pair 25c
Ladies' Drawers, Striped Flannelette, extra heavy quality, all sizes. Special Friday, per pair 35c

Men's Night Shirts.

Special Heavy Flannelette Night Shirts, all sizes, neat patterns and fast colors. Friday, special, 50c

Fleece-Lined Underwear.

Extra Heavy Fleece-Lined Shirts and Drawers, fancy stripe and plaid; regular value 65c. Friday 50c

Umbrellas.

6 dozen Men's Umbrellas, large size, fast back, steel rod and shaped handles. Friday special 75c

Boys' Blouse Suits.

25 only Boys' Heavy Serge Blouse Suits, good fall suits, sizes 21 to 27. Friday all one price 1 00

Boys' Three-Piece Suits.

Boys' All-Wool Tweed Suits, pants, vest and coat complete, best linings, 28 to 32; regular \$4 and \$4 50. Friday 3 50

Men's Suits.

150 only Men's Fine Tweed Suits; some were \$5 50 and \$6. Friday 3 50

Housefurnishing Dept.

COMFORTERS—In fact as well as name. Not the hard, rough, filled with small sweepings, but nice, soft, light ones, filled with the best batting. Three very specials we mention today:
1 Extra Special, full size 1 25
1 Extra Special, full size 1 50
1 Extra Special, full size 1 75
Lace Curtains, 3 yards long, bound, good width. Special, per pair, only 50c
Lace Curtains, 3 1/2 yards long, tape bound, good width, nice patterns. Special, per pair 75c

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208, 210, 210 1/2, 212 Dundas Street.

THE TWO PARTIES

How the Provinces Are Represented in the Present Parliament—The Government's Majority.

The House of Commons, when every constituency is represented, consists of 213 members. The representation by provinces and the unit of population to each member upon the basis of the last census is as follows:

	Unit of	Members.	Population.
Ontario	92	22,982	
Quebec	65	25,990	
Nova Scotia	20	22,947	
New Brunswick	14	21,815	
Prince Edward Island	5	12,786	
Manitoba	7	16,269	
British Columbia	6	16,700	
Northwest Territories	4	16,700	

In the last house, of the representatives from Nova Scotia, twelve were supporters of the Government and eight were Liberals. The exact proportion of the Liberals is that they carry fifteen of the twenty seats in the Province at this election. New Brunswick returned five Liberals, eight Conservatives and one Independent.

Mr. Lewis, who has given the Government a general support. Subsequently, Hon. Mr. Costigan broke with the Conservative party and has voted with the Liberals. Of the fourteen seats the Liberals have five representatives.

Of whom three at present are Liberals. At least one more seat will, it is anticipated, be captured by them. A "solid Liberal" delegation is the goal of their ambition. Fifty-one of

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25¢ Everywhere.

the 65 constituencies of Quebec now send representatives who support the Liberal Government, and the stalwart Liberals of that Province do not anticipate any reduction in that number, while the sanguine ones expect to augment their representation in the next House.

Forty-five of the 92 representatives of Ontario were elected as straight supporters of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, and 40 were straight Conservatives or Patrons, of whom six have on all the leading questions of policy supported the Government. The seventh has given a steady support to the Opposition. The 14 Liberals calculate on carrying at least 50 of these seats. Manitoba has seven representatives, and in the existing Parliament the Government has had four straight supporters from the Prairie Province, and an independent supporter from Mr. Furtess, the Territories. The Territories are given four representatives, of whom two are Liberals, and one, a

Patron, has supported the Government. British Columbia now sends four supporters of the Government and two supporters of the Opposition. It is probable that while there may be a few changes in the representation west of Lake Superior, the relative strength of the two parties will not be materially changed. At the last session of Parliament the majority which ranged as high as 52; the normal majority, however, was slightly below this. On the resolution approving of the preferential tariff, a straight line of the majority was 45, with party vote, preferential tariff, a straight line of the majority was 45, with party vote, several absentees on both sides. The full strength of the two parties is: straight Liberals 126, Independent Liberals 10, total 136. Straight Conservatives 17, Independent Conservative 1, total 18. This gives the Government a clear majority of 39 over Conservatives and all the independents, or of 53 when the independents, who generally vote with them, record their votes.

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LATE LOCAL ITEMS

Thursday, Oct. 18, will be the day for general thanksgiving throughout Canada.

R. C. Struthers left today for the English markets on his regular purchasing trip.

The committee of King Street Presbyterian Church has secured Roselle Pocke, who will provide a full oratorio for the "Progress of the Century" entertainment in the Jubilee Hall, Sept. 25. The orchestra will play during the serving of the tables, the programme and the tableaux.

CONCERT POSTPONED.
The concert announced for tonight at Wolsley Barracks has been postponed. POLICE COURT.

At this morning's police court William McKenna was fined \$50 or one month at hard labor for attempting to supply liquor to an Indian, and \$10 or 21 days for being drunk.

PROMOTION FOR F. W. EGAN.

G. T. R. Assistant Superintendent Egan, with headquarters here, has been appointed to succeed Superintendent George C. Jones as superintendent of the middle division, with headquarters at Toronto. Mr. Jones has been appointed superintendent of the eastern division, with headquarters at Montreal. Mr. Egan has been in London for some time, and is well known to our readers. His many friends, while pleased at his promotion, will regret his departure from London.

September Weddings.

WILLIAMS-GIBSON.

A quiet wedding took place Wednesday evening at the First Methodist Church, Clarence street, the contracting parties being Mr. R. H. Williams and Miss Mary Louise Gibson, eldest daughter of George Gibson, contractor, city. The bride and groom were assisted by Miss Matilda and George Gibson, jun., brother and sister of the bride. The presents were numerous and costly, among them being two handsome chairs from Geo. Waite & Sons, King street. Mr. and Mrs. Williams left via G. T. R. for eastern points, and will be at home to their friends after October 1, at their residence, 43 Blackfriars street, West London.

MARKHAM-TAYLOR.

Last evening, at 715 Dundas street, the King Street Presbyterian manse, Mr. Arthur Markham was wedded to Miss Carrie Taylor, daughter of Mrs. Agnes Taylor, of Adelaide street. The ceremony was performed by Rev. T. Wilson, pastor of the King Street Presbyterian Church.

ADAMS-HENNING.

A quiet wedding took place yesterday afternoon at the home of Mr. Wm. Henning, 600 Queen's avenue, when his daughter Florence was united to Mr. Louis L. Adams, of Guelph. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Thomas Wilson, of King Street Presbyterian Church, in the presence of a few immediate friends.

THE MINERS' STRIKE

Philadelphia, Sept. 20.—According to advices from Hazleton the strikers are gaining ground in that region, although the operators dispute this, and insist that more men are at work today than there were yesterday.

Hazleton, Pa., Sept. 20.—Reports received at strike headquarters and elsewhere from various parts of the Hazleton region this morning brought nothing but good news to the striking anthracite coal miners.

PILES CURED IN 3 TO 6 NIGHTS.
—One application gives relief. Dr. Agnew's Ointment is a boon for hemorrhoids, or Piles, Bleeding Piles. It relieves quickly and permanently. In skin eruptions it stands without a rival. Thousands of testimonials if you want evidence. 35 cents. For sale by C. McCallum & Co.—23.

Chicago Exchange.

CHICAGO, Sept. 20.
Following are the quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler, broker Tremont House, Phone 1273.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—Sept.	24 1/2	24 3/4	24 1/2	24 3/4
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METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, Sept. 19-8 p.m.—The weather has remained somewhat showery today in Manitoba, but in the Territories it has been very fine. Rain is setting in tonight over Ontario, but no very strong winds are likely. In Quebec and the Maritime Provinces it has been very fine. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 41-69; Kamloops, 46-74; Calgary, 34-70; Qu'Appelle, 32-62; Winnipeg, 46-64; Port Arthur, 36-66; Parry Sound, 42-68; Toronto, 44-66; Ottawa, 36-60; Montreal, 40-58; Quebec, 44-54; Halifax, 40-68. Local temperatures: Sept. 19, 1906—Highest, 66°; lowest, 37°. Today (Thursday) the sun rose at 6:02 a.m., and sets at 6:29 p.m. The moon rose at 2:59 a.m., and sets at 4:38 p.m.

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—Atlanta Constitution.

—Miss M. Walsh, city, is visiting Miss Lily Cooke, Stratford.

—Miss Mabel Wilson, of Woodstock, is visiting friends in the city.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Henry have returned from their wedding trip.

—Sir Richard Cartwright and Premier Ross left for the east at 10:25 this morning.

—Miss Mary Clarke, of 478 King Street, is visiting relatives in Chicago and Milwaukee.

—Miss Thine Barnard, of the Bell Telephone Company, is spending her vacation at Whitesiding.

—Mr. E. O. S. Strange, of Kingston, formerly of the Merchants' Bank staff, is enjoying a vacation here.

—Open-air concert by the Seventh Band at Wolseley Barracks tonight. Public cordially invited to attend.

—Mr. Fred J. Gackmeyer, sergeant-at-arms of the Ontario Assembly, Toronto, is in the city for a few days.

—The steamer Urania, running between Cleveland and Port Stanley, has

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—Mrs. Ann Foote, of 311 Grey Street, has arrived home after a pleasant two months' trip to American cities and England.

—Wilbur A. Golding, of London, who has been visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Golding, of Maberly, Ont., returned home on Wednesday.

—Miss Katherine Moore returned yesterday from her home in Evanston, Ill., to resume her duties as teacher in the London Conservatory of Music.

—Mr. George Cockburn and wife, Toronto, paid a flying visit to London the other day, and called on Corporal John Cockburn at Wolseley Barracks.

—A new stack, with a capacity of 1,200 volumes, is being placed in the Public Library, making a total stack accommodation of 12,000 books—or 3,000 less than are in the library.

—Mr. A. F. Read, foreign freight agent, G. T. R., Montreal, and Mr. Harry R. Read, of Calumet, Mich., who have been visiting their sister, Mrs. Callender, York Street, have returned home.

—Montreal Herald: Mrs. Baldwin, wife of the Bishop of Huron, who is under treatment at the General Hospital, is progressing satisfactorily. His lordship the bishop and the Misses Baldwin are also in town.

—Invitations are out to the marriage of the Rev. Geo. H. Smith, B.A., D.D., Presbyterian minister of St. Catharines, to Miss Cawthorp, of Thamesford. Dr. Smith was formerly pastor of the Thamesford congregation.

—Woodstock Sentinel-Review: C. B. Armstrong, assignee, is in town, taking an inventory of the P. H. Wilkins stock. The assets and liabilities are said to be about equal, nearly \$4,000. The principal creditor was the firm of G. A. McMillan & Co., now insolvent.

—The funeral of the late William J. Wright took place yesterday afternoon at Mount Pleasant Cemetery. Rev. Mr. Birks, pastor of Coburn Street Methodist Church, conducted the services. The pall-bearers were: Messrs. W. R. Garner, Fred Birmingham, J. Ashton, J. Taggie, J. Elson and T. Harris.

—The new St. John's Church at TH-sonburg will be opened on Sunday next. The Right Rev. Maurice S. Baldwin, Bishop of Huron, will preach both morning and evening, and will address the school children at three o'clock in the afternoon. Rev. Canon Dunn, of London, will officiate Monday evening. On Tuesday evening, Ven. Archdeacon Davis, of South London, will conduct the service, and it is expected that the Rev. Mr. Walsh, of Brampton, will preach on Wednesday evening.

—The quarterly meeting of the McAll Mission was held Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 19, at 3:30 o'clock, at Holm-bank, the residence of Miss Hamilton. Talbot, assisted with a good attendance.

The president, Mrs. McMechan, occupied the chair. Mrs. Weld gave a most suggestive and helpful Scripture reading, and Mrs. A. B. Brown delighted her hearers with a solo entitled "Here Am I, Send Me." Mrs. Ware, assisted in the devotional exercises. Among other items of business transacted, arrangements were made for a visit from Dr. Rosseter, of New York, the general secretary of McAll's work in America, Oct. 23, next. The visit of this eminent man to the city will afford an excellent opportunity of becoming more thoroughly conversant with the McAll Mission in its many departments, and all a new impetus to the work here.

WILL ATTEND IN A BODY.

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SOUTH HURON FAIR.

Exeter, Ont., Sept. 20.—The South Huron agricultural show, held here Tuesday, was a financial success, every department being well represented. The show of horses was the best that has been seen here for years. The weather being very fine, there was a large attendance.

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GENERAL BREAKUP.

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"A general tumult seems to have occurred when they recognized the hopelessness of their cause."

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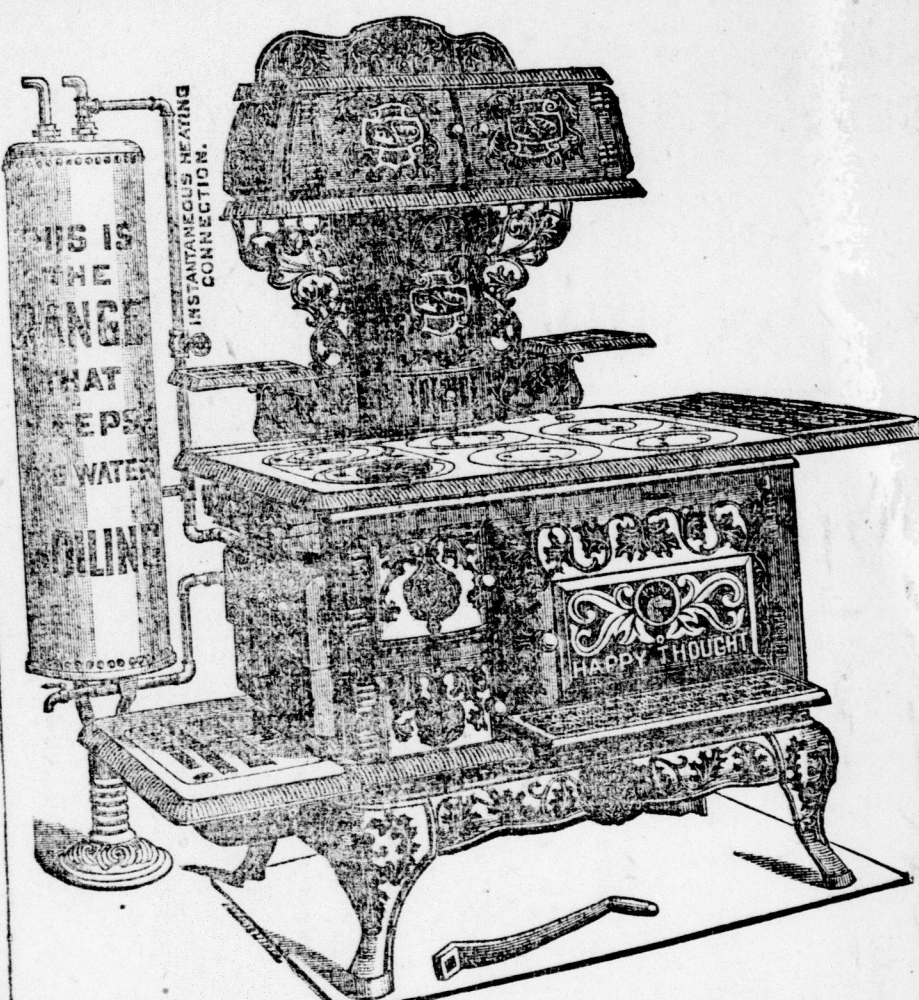
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