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## RE-ELECT CONTROLLER J. J. WARD

With His Peerless Record--14 Years' Servise
An upbuilder of our city-recognized as one of the best informed municipal
men on the continent-a man who knows the needs and wants of a great city. HE INITIATED SUOH GREAT IMPROVEMENTS AS THE
(1) Lake Front Boulevard.
(2) Railway depression from Bathurst Street to Sunnyside
(4) Traek elevation, Sunnyside to Eumber.
(5) The election of the Board of C ontrol over the City at large.
(6) The great Franchise Act, providing that no franchise, such as street railway, water, gas, electric light, etc., can be amended, extended or granted without first being submitted to the people.
CONTROLLER WARD ASSISTED IN THE FOLLOWING NECESSARY IMPROV EMENTS:
(1) The Main Drainage System.
(2) The Hydro-Electric.
(3) The Filtration.
(6) The New Harbor Board.

DEADLY LEVEL OROSSINGS ABOLISHED
Through Controller Ward's efforts, fifteen deadly level crossings are a thing of the past:
(1) The depression and elevation of tracks from Bathurst Street to Humber River.
(2) Lansdowne Avenue Subway
(3) Brock Avenue Subway

He has been for years LABOR'S BEST FRIEND
All the present splendid conditions are due to his work. Don't forget his fight a few years ago to prevent the
Railway from getting control of your streets and making your street rail ton Railway from getting control of your streets and makis when the city takes over, valueless. Also his fight five years ago against the Bell Telephone Company and Dominion Power Bill at Ottawa,
Controller Ward stands for Public Uwnership, Protection of Public hights, energetic, broad and progressive.
MARK YOUR BALLOT THUS:

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Montreal Club Lost $\$ 7000$ Last Year
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WHO PAYS THE DUTY? ou or our foreign competitor
You pay. About that there is no room for doubt
And it's more than likely youb believe in the necessity of the tariff. But-of what earthly good is it if you pay the duty?
The foreigner laughs at duties imposed by our goverrmment as long as you willing to cash up. Take beer, for instance.

## Sahuador

The Famous National Drink

- the purest and best beer brewed on this continene The formula and entire, arocess of brewing "Salvador" is a secret
Tind absolutely controlled, on this side of the Atlantic, by Rein hardts' of Toronto.
Beer, almost as sood as "Salvador," is bremed by the big Ameri
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at the normal price? "Salvador" beer is rich in flavor, sparke ROM



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 and Drink and Enjoy

# WHITE LABEL ALE 

at your New Year's Festivities

When you pour out the sparkling liquid-clear as crystal-for your guests, pleased faces all round will show the wisdom of your choice of White Label.


Brewed and bottled at Queen St. exclusively by DOMINION BREWERY COMPANY,

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Statement to the Ratepayers of the City of Toronto by the Toronto Electric Commissioners Relative to the Civic Hydro-Electric Enterprise.




CONSUMER HAD SLIM CHANCE WITH OLD-TIME PACKERS' POOL
In the Rare Old Golden Days They Divided Territory in Scientific Fashion, Fixed Prices and Allotted Business -Mystery Shrouded "Postoffice Box 247,"



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## Short Covering in Wall Street Gives Firm Tone to Stock Market

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THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE

Paid-up Capital, $\$ 11,000,330 \quad$ Rest $\$ 9,070,030$ DRAFTS ON FOREIGN COUNTRIES Every Branch of the Canadian Bauk of Commerce is awns of the world, drawn in the currency of the country This Bank has unexcelled facilities for handling eve-y de

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Commercial Reports

## Wave Thruout the West

 Brightens the Wheat Market

The Centre of the Stage is Held by the

## Whitewear Sale

This annual event has become of such importance that the whole energies of the department are thrown into the collection of its new and dainty garments.

Every value has the whole reputation of the Store behind it.
$\$ 1.25$ to $\$ 1.65$ Night Dresses, Tuesday $\$ 1.00$ each -Four stl les, in nainsook or strong cotton, high neck or slip-over, lrimg sizes 32 to 42 bust.
$\$ 2.50$ Night Dresses, white, Tuesday $\$ 1.83-$ Made of nainsook, slip-over style, elbow sleeves, elab-
andely orately adorned with French lace and wide insertions, beadings and ribbons; sizes 32 to 42 bust.

75c Night Dresses, Tuesday 50c-A dainty slipover style, in fine cotton, three-quarter sleeves, neck
and cuffs finished with frill of fine lace; sizes 32 to and . cuffis
42 bust. $\$ 2.00$ Combination, Tuesday $\$ 1.50$-Corset
er and Isabelle drawers in one, tastefully trimmed with ruffles of embroidery, embroidery beading and silk ribbons; sizes 32 to 42 bust.
$\$ 2.00$ Combination, Tuesday $\$ 1.35$-Corset Cover and drawers, made of wide
silk ribbon draws; sizes 32 to 42 bust.
$\$ 2.50$ Princess Slips, Tuesday $\$ 1.50-\mathrm{A}$ beautiful slip of nainsook, waist and skirt trimmed with
embroidery rufles and medallion yoke, beadings and embroidery rufles and medallion yoke, beadings and
silk ribbons; lengths of skirt, 36 or 39 inches, for 32 to 42 bust.
$\$ 4.50$ and $\$ 5.00$ Drawers, Tuesday $\$ 2.50$.
$\$ 8.00$ to $\$ 10.00$ Chemises, White Sale Price Tues-和.50-Sizes 32 to 42 bust.
$\$ 4.50$ to $\$ 7.00$ Corset Covers, Tuesday $\$ 2.75-$
75 c and $\$ 1.00$ Corset Covers, Tuesday 50 c -Sizes $\$ 1.50$ Pettic
$\$ 1.50$ Petticoat, Tuesday $\$ 1.00$-Lengths 36,38 ,
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s , deep lace trim; sizes 18 to 26 inches.

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A Sale of Black and
Navy College Serges
Reg. $\$ 1.50$ per $y$ d., for $\$ 1.15$
Made from the finest selected pure Botany
yarns, dyed and finished by experts; an excep
tional material for your new spring suit. 700
yards only to be sold at this price. 54 in. wide.
On sale Tuesday, Dress Goods Department, 2nd
Floor, .......... ... ... ... ... .. 1.15
DOUBLE WIDTH BLACK SILK.
A special purchase of Rich Black Duchesse Paillette Silk, bought by our European buyer a a big discount, is of a quality we can guarantee Lustrous, skein-dyed silk, finished soft and bright,
and uncrushable; a heavy, firm weave. This and uncrushable; a heavy, firm weave. This
silk has not been sold heretofore for less than silk has not been sold heretofore for less than
$\$ 1.50$ per yard. 40 inches wide. On sale Tuesday, per yard The Simpson Store

BEGINNING with the Whitewear Sale, followed closely by the huge Basement Siles, announced elsewhere in this paper, the departments are taking up the mid-winter selling for one short month before stock-taking. All these special stocks must be gone before February, and we are giving values that will op it.
Every day has something new to offer. Don't overlook a day.
Women's Dresses Ardt Cleaning-up Salein Rugs

## ranged for Special

 View Tuesday Regular Prices $\$ 14.50, \$ 18.50$ to $\$ 27.50$,Tuesday, $\$ 7.49$.

A clearance in odd lines of one-piecer dresses, of fancy silks, plain or figured nets, messaline, challies and cloth fabrics. Some
have the Dutch neck with three-quarter sleeves ; others high collars with pretty lace or net yokes. They are trimmed with lace insertions, silk strappings and braided designs. Skirts in pleated and plain effects. $\$$ presented in the lot. Regular prices $\$ 14.50$, Misses ${ }^{2}$ Voile Skirts $\$ 7$ In black only, we sy pow several good
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Cleaning-up SaleinRugs Our floors show many odd rugs
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Very special, extra heavy seamless Eng-
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sizes only$\begin{array}{lll}9.0 \times 10.6 \text {, regular } \$ 12.25 . & \text { Special } & \mathbf{8 . 9 7} \\ 9.0 \times 12.0, \text { regular } \$ 14.25 . & \text { Special } & \mathbf{9 . 9 7}\end{array}$ $\begin{array}{ll}10.6 \times 12 \text {, regular } \$ 16.75 \text {. Special } & \mathbf{9 . 9 7} \\ 11.97\end{array}$ Seamless English Velvet Rugs, heavy,
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## Basement Sale Announced Elsewhere in this Paper

## Gioves in Season <br> Cold days call for cold-proof less varieties Women's Imported all wool Cashmere Gloves, in black or tan, with silk lineng Glowes, in black or tan, with sikh linmere dome fasteners, silk pointed backs. Al dome fasteners, silk pointed backs. All sizes, regularly 35 c , Tuesday .........29 Boys ${ }^{2}$ Tan Suede Leather Goves. . 29 wool linh

Un que Millinery Values 72. Trimmed Hats, have been made
pecially for Tuesday's sale. They are of velvets, plushes, black fur and white felts, trimmed with ostrich mounts, marabou mounts, roses and fancy rib-
bon, in styles of the last mid-winter bon, in styles of the last mid-winter
vogue. The materials used are odd lots, hence the rush price. Values that hence the rusharly for $\$ 6.50$ to $\$ 7.50$.
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Tuesday .. ... .... ... ...
Thousands of Lace Curtains Offer Unequalled Values
These imported Nottingham Lace Curtains show new weaves, including the imitation renaissance cable net, Madras and Crete effects, with large
variety of designs. The mesh is of good heavy cotton and lock-stitched variety of designs. The mesh is of good
colbert edges, give quality and durability
3,000 pairs. Nottingham Lace Curtains. 16 excellent patterns, white only, 50 inches
wide, by 3 and $31 / 2$ yards long. Tuesday. par
2,000 pairs Nottingham Curtains, very fine quality, lace borders or heavy insertion
 Brussels net, introducing many new features in applique work, European manufacturers,
Swiss Applique Curtains, regularly $\$ 4.00$ and $\$ 4.50$, white or ivory, 50 inches $\times 3$
 - SIMIPSON Compray


Have come to prefer English goods in even suits of moderate price. The value lies in their wearing qualities and the novelty of the weaves.

MEN'S TWEED SUITS.
Are made from a fancy grey and brown mixed tweed, of English weave; they are cut single-breasted style and value; sizes 36 to $44 \ldots . . . . . . . .113 .50$

TWEED SUITS OF YOUTHFUL CUT.
English tweed, in a fancy stripe brown; singlereasted, three-button-style; many admirable fea
ures are tailored into this garment; good mohair lin-


200 Black Cardigan Jackets, with edges mohair bound; have black bone buttons, two strong pockets, knitted on and buttoned cuffs; medium and large
sizes only. Regularly $\$ 1.50$. Tuesday....... . 98

150 Heavy and Extra Heavy Flannel and Tweed Shirts, some with reversible collars, also some light shades of pure wool flannel; shirts with stripes; sizes
in the lot 14 to 18 . Regularly $\$ 2.00$ and $\$ 2.50$. To clear Tuesday, each . . .... ....... ...... 1.39
200 Suits of Men's English Flannelette Pyjamas, a range of fancy stripes, military collar, frog or but
on fastenings; all sizes in the lot. Regular $\$ 1.25$ and ton fastenings; all sizes in the lot. Regular $\$ 1.25$ and
Weather for Boys' Coats A range of Winter Weight Overcoats, cut single lars; also single-breasted Chtesterfield style, with velvet collars; the shades and patterns are well assorted, and tailoring and trimmings first-class. Sizes 28 to
32. Regularly $\$ 6.00$ to $\$ 9.00$. Tuesday ... 4.85

## Austrian Blanket Bath Robe

Robes of the very newest designs, in grey, green, eams, cord fastener at throat, and girdle around waist. Special Tuesday ... ......... 5.50

## Men's Heavy Gum Rubbers

Heavy, dull finished, pure "Para" Gum Rubbers, for teamsters, môtormen, etc., easy fitting, warm, and will stand hard usage. These prices for Tuesday
Men's one-buckle, pure gum rubber
Men's two-buckle, pure gum rubbe Men's three-eyelet, snag-proof, roll edge Men's gum rubber, 7-inch leather top. Men's gum rubber, 9 -inch leather top Men's gum rubber, 12 -inch leather top Boys', one-buckle, pure gum rubber. Boys' three-eyelet, snag-proof . . . Youths' one-buckle, pure gum rubbe

## Annual Clearance of Mould-

ings and Frames in the
Picture Section (Sixth Floor.)
Discounts of 20 per cent. on all our Frame Mouldings, and 50 per cent. on all Stock Frames. Sale begins 8 o'clock Tuesday morning.

