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It will take two large Coffee Mills...

COMMERCIAL NEWS

The excitement in Wall-street yesterday was intense. The dealings were in the neighborhood of 500,000 shares...

Some heavy losses are reported by Canadians, particularly in Montreal.

But Cable, Toronto Railway and Montreal Railway were much stronger in Toronto than in Montreal...

The Bank of Montreal is said to have made a good day's work in Wall-street yesterday in negotiating loans at high rates...

The note circulation of Canadian banks on Nov. 30 was \$2,382,000, a decrease of \$200,000 for the month...

The amount due Canadian banks by agencies in the United States is \$37,000,000.

For the 10 months ending October 31 the importations of Canadian eggs into Great Britain were 2,306,150 dozen...

THE CASE OF FRANK SMYTHE

For the second time a Jury fails to Agree on a Verdict.

For a second time a Jury entrusted with judgment on the case of Frank W. Smythe, who is alleged to have been implicated in the conspiracy...

East Toronto Conservators.

The Conservators of East Toronto met in St. George's Hall, Queen and Berkeley-streets and elected the following Patrons...

A LIFE SAVED BY TAKING AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL

"Several years ago, I caught a severe cold, attended with a terrible cough. The doctor prescribed a bottle of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral...

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Yonge and Adelaide-Sts. 125

Which shall it be?

Rightly made ready-made or cheap custom-prices about the same, but how different the clothes.

Rightly made ready-made or best custom-clothes about the same, but how different the prices.

If interested, we shall be glad to put you in touch with the best ready-made.

A glance at our windows will be instructive.

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With Cooking "Special"

You often blame the cook when the coal is at fault.

Reason a little about it.

Our "Special" is so different from ordinary coal you'll have a pleasant surprise.

It is a high-grade cooking coal—free burning—and clings to the fire as a perfect coal should.

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SAVE FUEL by the Ton.

Use the new Hot Water Boiler "The Wonder," can be fitted up at half the cost of the usual hot water system.

McEACHEN HEATING AND VENTILATING CO.

Galt and Toronto.

It may be difficult to get PURE WATER, but you can always get

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By applying to your grocer or to the sole agent, J. IMPEY, 197 Brunswick-avenue.

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REAPING THE WHIRLWIND.

The first practical result of President Cleveland's belated manifesto has been the infliction of a serious injury upon the credit of the United States and an alarming depression in all American stocks.

The panic on Wall-street in all classes of stocks, both domestic and international, is to a very great extent, created by the serious condition of the currency.

Protection is not exemption from taxation. It is the very opposite. It is the attempt to stimulate industry by taxing the competition from abroad.

The above is The Globe's comment on its statement that exemption from taxes by the municipality upon a manufacturer's concern is virtually the same as the protective principle adopted by the Government for the development of manufacturing industries.

In concluding his message, the President says: "I especially entreat the people's representatives in the Congress, who are charged with the responsibility of insuring prosperity for our common country, to promptly and effectively consider the plea of our critical financial plight."

Who, in the name of goodness, has done so much to aggravate the "ills of our critical financial plight" as Mr. Cleveland in his ill-considered paper to Congress on the Venezuela boundary question?

It only requires a few days more of uncertainty for the panic which is now under way in Wall-street to become general and to surpass in extent any that has hitherto prevailed on this continent.

It is all very well to play with a dangerous weapon once, but when one tries to employ the same weapon a second time, his adversary may be prepared.

As The World pointed out the other day, Cleveland's mistake was in practically declaring war and then making provisions for an American commission to ascertain whether or not he was justified in so doing.

Exhibition of Pictures. An unusually fine collection of paintings and water-colors is now on view at the art gallery of James Bain & Sons.

Public Examinations for Certificates. Special advantages for boarders: ample facilities for practice. Compare our rates with those of other schools.

Mr. Bellwell's Death Accidental. A paragraph was wired from Chicago last Sunday to the New York Evening Post, a very important financial authority.

Children are very subject to coughs and colds but can be cured in a few hours by a few doses of Dr. Lavolette's Syrup of Turpentine if given at the start.

ON STAGE AND PLATFORM

Current and Coming Attractions at the Local Play Houses and Concert Halls.

Mr. Lewis Morrison will make his reappearance in Toronto next week, opening at the Princess on Monday night in "York's Love."

The Grand Opera House will have a brilliant attraction next Thursday, Friday and Saturday in the first production of the new musical comedy, "Princess Bonnie."

The engagement of this great concern would have to pay, say, \$1000 for rent and taxes to the municipality.

There will be no crush at the Crystal Theatre during holiday week, as Manager Frank Lewis has made preparations for handling the crowd of children and ladies especially well.

The End of "Miss Pyramon." Miss Jane May will make her last appearance in the Pyramon at the Princess Theatre this afternoon and evening.

The Corporation of the Toronto Church School (Ltd.). This school will commence work after the Christmas holidays, on the 21st day of January, at 10 o'clock.

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LADIES' DEPARTMENT-1st Floor. CREAM Satin Slippers, PINK Satin Slippers, BLUE-Tinted Satin Slippers, YELLOW Satin Slippers, ROSE Satin Slippers.

For Men and Boys. Men's Cheviot, Serge and Tweed Suits, regular \$3.50 to \$10, cut down to \$2.50.

Jackets and Ulsters. Jackets and Ulsters, worth from \$4 to \$8, all for \$1 each.

Millinery. \$10 Bonnets for \$5, \$5 for \$3, \$4 Bonnets and Hats for \$2, \$2 Bonnets and Hats for \$1.

Gents' Furnishings. 100 dozen Men's 4-ply English Linen Collars, regular price \$1.50, sale price 50 cents each.

Blankets. Carolina Wool, reduced from \$1.75 to 80c.

Cottons, etc. 34-inch Twill Cotton for 3c, 44-inch Twill Cotton for 4c, 50-inch Twill Cotton for 5c.

Dress Goods. 27-inch Stripe Tweed and Figured Dress Goods, regular \$1.50, sale price 75c.

Boys' Department-2nd Floor. BOSTON Call Lace Boots, 65c.

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SOUNDNESS

THE SUPREME DEFENCE. No Success Mr. McC... is "Sound"

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MINUTES COUNT AS HOURS NOW!

Standing Room Only from 8 o'clock in the morning till 6 at night.

Time now to stop advertising, but we can't have too much of the Christmas spirit. This store is doing all it can to develop enthusiasm and encourage giving by crowding prices down on worthy goods and making holiday displays more and more attractive. To-day and Monday and Tuesday will give us all we can do, but no matter. Until the last present has been bought and everybody suitably remembered we hold ourselves at your service. Only shop early—as soon after 8 o'clock as possible. Remember, we close regularly at 6 and make no exceptions now or at any time.

This page is crowded full of suggestions to gift buyers. Plenty to choose from and always enough to go round. By all means SHOP EARLY, and please carry your small parcels with you.

Gloves and Handkerchiefs.

- Ladies' French Kid Gloves, in tan, brown and black, guaranteed 75
- Ladies' Carina Kid Gloves, 2 clasps, every pair guaranteed 1.25
- Ladies' 4-button and 7-button Lacing French Kid Gloves, all colors and sizes 1.00
- Gents' Unlined Kid Gloves, 2 clasps, plique-sevra 1.00
- Gents' Lined Kid Gloves, zussat fingers, plique-sevra 1.00
- Ladies' Fine Irish Linen Handkerchiefs, hemstitched, 15c each or per dozen 1.70
- Gents' Pure Irish Linen Handkerchiefs, fine quality, 15c each or per dozen 2.00
- Ladies' Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, Japanese Silk, initialed, 21c each, or per dozen 2.50
- Ladies' and Gents' Silk Handkerchiefs, hemstitched and initialed, 35c each or 3 for 1.00
- Gents' Surah Silk Handkerchiefs, initialed, heavy quality, regular prices \$1, special 75
- Gents' Pure Silk Handkerchiefs, hemstitched, in light and dark shades, regular price 75c and \$1, special 50

Men's Furnishings.

- Men's Fine Lawn Bow, very neat shapes, latest New York style 1.15
- Silk Knots or Made-up Ties, large wide apron bottom, satin lined, light and dark shades, special 50
- Four-in-hand Ties, 2 1/2 and 2 3/4 inches wide, 45 inches long, plain and fancy silks, light and dark colors, special 50
- Flowing End Scarfs, 90 inches long, in Macleodfield silks, plain, fancy and Paisley patterns, latest holiday colorings, special 1.00
- Men's Crown Make Suspenders, elastic web, silk ends, double stitched, kid backs, special 50
- Flats and Fancy Satin Suspenders, assorted tints, silk elastic ends 1.00
- Silk Crochet Web Suspenders, assorted shades, very choice, latest New York novelty 1.75

Slippers.

- Gents' Fancy Velvet Slippers, with leather trimmings, very pretty, special at 75
- Ladies' New Strap Slippers, flexible soles, hand-turned 1.00
- Ladies' Choice Kid Slippers, one or two strap, high or low heel, Sister make 1.50
- Ladies' "Meiba" Slipper, patent leather vamp, hand-made 1.25
- Gents' Dombola Kid Slippers, opera cut 1.50
- Silk Japanese Dressing Gowns, in plain and embroidered silks, all sizes 5.00
- Best Camel's Hair Dressing Gowns, plaid and plain patterns, bound with silk lined, gilet and silk tassel to match 10.00

Umbrellas.

- Gents' Steel Rod Umbrellas, silk mixture, paragon frame, natural wood handle, regular \$1.25, special 75
- Gents' Steel Rod Umbrellas, silk and wool mixture, paragon frame, cherry handle, crook or straight, regular \$2, special 1.25
- Gents' Umbrellas, pure silk, paragon frame, very good quality, extra value at 3.00
- Ladies' Silk Mixture Umbrellas, paragon frame, natural wood or black handles, special 1.00
- Ladies' Silk and Wool Mixture Umbrellas, paragon frame, with sterling silver or gold mountings, special 3.50
- Ladies' or Gents' Umbrellas, pure silk or silk and wool mixture, variety of handles, gold or sterling silver mountings, very fine present, special gold, a pair 5.00

Silverware and Jewellery.

- Child's Silver-plated Mug, bright cut, satin finish, medium size 25
- Card Receivers, low stand, gold lined, bright cut 50
- Gents' Silk Prince Albert Watch Chains, gold plated 1.00
- Ladies' Solid Gold Stick Pins, with ruby, pearl, tortoise settings 1.25
- Gents' Cuff Buttons, 1 1/4, gold stiff-ruby, pearl, tortoise settings 1.25
- Nut Sets, in satin lined oak case, complete, with cracker and 6 picks 1.50
- Ladies' and Gents' Solid Gold Cuff Links 2.50
- Tea Set, satin finish and embossed, triple plate, teapot, sugar, cream and spoons 6.50
- This Tea Set complete as above, with 16-inch tray 10.00
- Enamelled Clock, visible escapement, porcelain dial, eight-day cathedral gong, hour and half hour strike 10.00
- Gents' 3 oz. Solid Silver Watch, gold trimmed, screw case, fitted with P. S. Bartlett 16 jewel Nickel, open face, Waltham movement 13.50
- Best quality Artotypes, size 20 x 24, framed in 3-inch gold and green and gold mouldings, new patterns, American make 2.50
- Real Steel Engravings, size 28 x 38, picked subjects, by the best artists, framed in heavy oak combinations, green and gold burnished 4.50

Easels, Etc.

- Easels, white enamel, 5 foot high, ring top, moveable rests, brass mountings 1.00
- Easels, oak, 5 foot, with moveable rests, fancy curved top, polish finish, brass trimmings 1.45
- Easels, white enamel, 5 foot 6 high, best American make, fancy scroll top, brass trimmings 2.75
- Easels, real mahogany, large size, fancy spindles, scroll top, oxidized trimmings 3.25
- Jardine's Stand, solid quarter cut oak and mahogany finish, 18 inches high, round and square top, fancy brackets 2.25
- Music Stands, solid oak folding sides, fancy turnings, brass mounted 3.75
- Oak Screen Frames, full size, 3 leaves 1.10
- Parlor Screen, solid oak frames, 3 leaves, fitted with art muslin 2.25
- Parlor Screens, white enamel, brass mounted, 3 leaves, fitted with art muslin 2.90



Pictures.

- Imitation Water Colors, size 12 x 22, oblong shape, framed in 2 1/2-inch colored mouldings, with carved edge Colored Pastels, size 20 x 24, scenery, landscape and fruit subjects, framed in assorted patterns, fancy colored mouldings 1.00
- Etchings, remarque proof, size 14 x 28, copies of best subjects, framed in fancy carved and bored oak, with silver lining 1.50
- Best quality Artotypes, size 20 x 24, framed in 3-inch gold and green and gold mouldings, new patterns, American make 2.50
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Rocking Chairs.

- Rocking Chairs, solid oak, embossed, carved back, shaped wood seat 85
- Rocking Chairs, with arms, solid oak and birch, gold leather, cobble-shaped seats 1.50
- Rocking Chairs, solid oak polished, heavy shaped arms, fancy turned spindles, cobble seat 2.45
- Rocking Chairs and Arm Chairs, large size, in solid oak, curly birch and imitation mahogany, large embossed leather, cobble seat 3.90
- Gentlemen's Solid Comfort, large size, quarter cut oak Rocking Chairs, heavily shaped wood seat and back, post pilars, very special 11.75
- Parlor Tables, antique finish, 24 x 24 inch top, heavy turned legs, fancy shelf 85
- Parlor Tables, ash, antique finish, 24 x 24 inch top, fancy shaped, with shelf 1.55
- Parlor Tables, solid oak and walnut, assorted lots, odd sizes 2.75
- Writing Desks, ash, antique and birch, 16th century finish, with 4 Lounges, wood ash frame, antique and dark finish, well upholstered, spring seat, satin rose covering 3.75
- Lounges, spring seat, both sides alder, upholstered in satin-faced tapestry 7.00
- Rug Lounges, covered in best Wilton rug, 8 1/2 plush bands, heavy fringes 14.50
- Fancy Parlor (3 piece) Suites, divan, armchair and reception chair, upholstered in silk brocade, solid walnut and mahogany frames 27.50

Secretaries, Etc.

- Boys' Writing Desks, antique finish, drop leaf, fitted with pigeon holes and shelves, regular, 2.50, special for 1.95
- Book Shelves, solid oak, 20 inches wide, 65 inches high, 4 folding shelves, regular 2.75, special for 1.95
- Book Shelves, ash, antique finish, 36 inches wide, 60 inches high, with moveable shelves and fancy bracket top, special at 4.90
- Ladies' Writing Desk, solid oak, nicely hand carved and polished, with two large drawers underneath, drop leaf writing table, 10.00, for 5.00
- Combination Cabinets, solid quarter cut oak, polished, with glass door book case, large drawer and cupboard, fancy shaped bevel mirror, 12.50
- Music Cabinet, solid quarter cut oak, curly birch and solid walnut, 8 shelves, with fancy top and mirror, regular 10.00 to 15.00, for 7.50

Carpet Sweepers.

- Sovereign Carpet Sweeper, handsome in design, highly finished, special value at 1.05
- No. 4 Sweepette Carpet Sweeper, adjustable action, finely finished in assorted wood, at 2.00
- No. 6 Sweepette Carpet Sweeper, adjustable to hard and soft carpets, artistic designs, highly finished 2.50
- Axminster New Automatic Carpet sweeper, at 3.00
- Hissel's Grand Rapids Sweeper, finished in mahogany, birch, antique and English oak 2.75
- Hissel's Celebrated Gold Medal Sweepers, highly finished, in assorted woods 3.25

Curtains.

- Swiss Lace Curtains (Irish Points), white and ivory, new patterns, 60 inches wide, 5 1/2 yards long, per pair 3.00
- Swiss Lace Curtains (Irish Points), white and scar, new designs, fine effects, 60 inches wide, 4 yards long, a pair 4.50
- Swiss Lace Red Sets, in white and scar, also, spread 30 x 90 inches, shams, 56 x 98 inches, new designs, per set 4.00 and 6.00
- Fine Chenille Curtains, fringe and date top and bottom, for arcades, etc., 72 inches wide, 5 1/2 yards long, crimson, terra, rose, electric and lawn, a pair 6.00
- Chenille Curtains, 3 yards long, fancy date and fringe top and bottom, crimson, blue, terra, lawn, Nile and old gold, a pair 6.00

Fancy Goods.

- Celluloid Jewel Case, extra-lined, leather edging, fancy gift trimmings 1.50
- Fish Toilet Case, fancy travel work around ends, complete, with comb, brush and mirror 1.80
- Combination Flash and Celluloid Shaving Case, with brush and mug 2.00
- Celluloid Fan Case, satin lined, with a fan inside in pearl on the lid 2.25
- Celluloid Toilet Case, novel design on top, very handsome case, special 2.25
- Fancy Work Boxes, combination celluloid and fancy plush, complete with fittings 2.50
- Celluloid Photo Cases, with word "Photo" inlaid with pearl on lid, very pretty 2.50
- Toilet and Manicure Cases, celluloid, with leather trimmings, fancy gift mountings, with brush, mirror, comb and manicure fittings 6.00

Purses.

- Ladies' Long Bag Purse, shamolined, riveted frame 35
- Combination Card Case and Purse, seal grain leather calf-lined, overlapping frame 50
- Ladies' One-piece Pocket Book, strong overlapping frame, calf-lined, 5 pockets, kerchief pocket in back 1.00
- English Morocco Pocket Book, Chamolines lining, spring lock inside and out, very special 1.50

Candies.

- Eaton's Special Xmas Mixture 1.10
- Cream Chocolates and Bon Bon mixture 1.15
- Bon Bons, assorted flavors 1.30
- Chocolates, assorted flavors 1.30
- Date Bon Bons 1.10
- Mixed Candies 1.74
- Assorted Chocolates and Bon Bons 1.35
- Fine Bon Bons, fancy and plain 30
- Finest Chocolates, very choice 40
- Finest Bon Bons, choice 40
- Finest Chocolates and Bon Bons, per lb 30
- Assorted Creams, put up in 5 lb box, special 1.00
- Box of Assorted Bon Bons, 5 lbs. choice Chocolates, 5 lbs. 1.00

Christmas Groceries.

- Choice Shell Almonds, good quality, per lb 75 and 1.00
- Finest Soft Shell Almonds, extra quality 40
- Excellent Shelled Almonds, very fine 40
- Finest Filberts, new stock, 3 lbs. for 40
- New Grenoble Walnuts 1.00
- Genuine French Peas 15 and 20
- Choice Plum Pudding, per lb 30
- Selected Malaga Grapes 1.10
- Table Figs, very choice 30
- Fine Layer Raisins, in 5-lb. box 70
- Genuine French Peas 15 and 20
- Crosse & Blackwell's Spanish olives, per bottle 30
- Crosse & Blackwell's Jams, in 1 lb. glasses 40
- Choicest Java and Mocha Coffee, ground 40
- Condensed Mince Meats, per package 10
- Choice Plum Pudding, per lb 30

Perfumes and Toilet Articles.

- Sachet Powders, large assortment of odors, per bottle 30
- Little Folia Perfumes, 4 bottles in a box 30
- Full Assortment of Odors, blue label perfumes, at 30
- Eaton Bells, most fragrant and lasting 60
- Ackmann's Perfumes, in 1-oz. bottles 50
- Labia's Perfumes, popular odors, 1-oz. bottles 50
- Crown Crab Apple Blossom 60
- Fancy Perfume and Toilet Bottles 20
- Toilet Sets, wood back brush, comb and mirror, for 50
- Celluloid Toilet Sets, comb, brush and mirror to match 1.00
- Quadruple Plate Toilet Sets, complete, with brush, mirror and comb 6.00
- Military Brushes, per pair 1.00

Fans.

- Feather Fans, in best shades, regular, 1.00, for 50
- Feather Fans, with feather on both sides, special 1.25
- Hand-painted Fans, in pink and blue, with two-toned Feather Fans, with native top, in six different colors 2.50
- Grey Feather Fans, with Ostrich tips, 6.50

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NOTICE is hereby given that a dividend of 4 per cent. on the paid-up capital stock of this company has been declared for the half-year ending 31st Dec. 1895.

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Cash wheat at Chicago 65 1/2 to 66 1/2, calls 65 1/2.
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Good Salt costs no more than common kinds do. Always use Windsor Salt. TORONTO SALT WORKS.

LOCAL GRAIN MARKET.
The feeling here to-day was very unsettled and business was on a very limited scale.

Wheat-Market is quiet, with the feeling unsettled. White is quoted at \$1.07 to \$1.08, Toronto shorts, \$1.10.

Barley-There is a moderate demand for malting barley, with prices quoted at \$1.00 to \$1.02, 2 nominal at \$1.00 to \$1.02.

Stocks and Bonds.
MUNICIPAL BOND OFFERS for sale at prices to yield from 4 to 6 per cent. suitable for Trustees or to deposit with the Ontario Government Insurance Department.

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FARMER'S MARKET.
There was a moderate business at St. Lawrence market to-day and prices generally ruled steady.

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DAILY PRODUCE.
Commutation prices: Butter, choice tub, 16c to 17c; bakers, 15c to 16c; pound, 14c to 15c.

POULTRY, BEEF AND PROVISIONS.
Jobbing prices: Chickens, 25c to 30c; geese at 50c to 55c; turkeys 75c to 80c.

THE SITUATION ON WALL-STREET.
Melrose & Wardwell send the following dispatch from Chicago to-day: "The market here is very unsettled and business is on a very limited scale."

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Market for seeds and prices steady. Alsike bids \$4.50 to \$7 per 100 lbs. Red clover unchanged at \$7.25 to \$7.50 per 100 lbs.

VEGETABLES.
Apples steady at \$1 to \$1.75 per box. Potatoes, per bag, 25c to 30c. Onions, bush, \$1 to \$1.10. Cabbages, 25c to 30c. Carrots, 25c to 30c. Parsnips, 40c to 50c per box. Turnips, 15c to 20c. Beets, 10c to 15c. Dried apples, 4c to 5c evaporated, 6c to 8c. Hops, 6c to 8c, the latter for choice.

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THE LOYAL ORANGEMEN

Mr. Controller Again Tells His Association What He Thinks of Remedial Legislation—A Resolution and Proclamation That Was Full of Compliments—Mr. Sheppard is Afraid of Roman Catholic Politics, and Says So Right Out in Meeting.

In response to a call to the Orangemen of the Toronto Lodge for a mass meeting for the purpose of endorsing the course of Sovereign Grand Master N. Clarke Wallace, a large crowd assembled in the Auditorium last night. The ground floor was pretty well occupied and there was a fair sprinkling in the galleries.

Mr. Wallace, as he rose to acknowledge the greetings extended to him, received great applause. He recalled the endorsement his course had received at the hands of the Grand Master of the Orange Order in New York. His course had not, however, received the endorsement of Sir Frank Wallace and Sir Frank Wallace.

Mr. Wallace then went on to explain why he had withdrawn from the Government, covering pretty fully the grounds for his opposition to Separate Schools. He declared that the Government had guaranteed by a solemn compact entered into when Manitoba joined the Dominion was entirely without force.

Mr. Wallace spoke very briefly and covered pretty much the same ground traversed by him at the Orange banquet, and at the West York convention. "Hands Off Manitoba!"

Bro. John Hewitt read a voluminous resolution and prefaced the reading with a few remarks. "We are living in a country," he said, "that is hard to govern, because it is made up of divergent elements. The most prominent element has been a hindrance ever since we had an existence, the more so because the element has been largely controlled by a few men who are the hierarchy of affairs. It was to have been expected that the Anglo-Saxon race would have assimilated the French in this country; but it was the sad experience that the French were actually assimilating the Anglo-Saxons down in Quebec. He believed that the sentiment of this country was summed up in the words "Hands Off Manitoba!"

The resolution read by Bro. Hewitt recited in a lengthy preamble the story of the Manitoba school question. In the enacting clause it was resolved that the Orangemen of Toronto, at a meeting assembled express their unqualified approval of the course of the Worshipful Grand Master Wallace in resigning the Controlship of Customs, and congratulated him on his steadfast adherence to principle in the Manitoba school question. The resolution further expressed disapproval of the declaration made in Parliament, by the leaders of the Government, that the Government would introduce legislation, believing that it would be impolitic to do so.

AN INTERESTING DECISION.

The Defendant in the Case of May v. Logie Won at Osgoode Hall, The Justice's new Christmas Holidays. Osgoode Hall, Dec. 20, 1895. Mr. Justice Meredith was in Single Court and Chambers from 10 a.m. until 3 p.m. without intermission, disposing of three court motions and numerous Chamber applications and appeals.

The Treasurer of London, E. R. Nicholson, E. R. Cameron (London) for plaintiff, appealed from the order of the local judge at London directing them to furnish a copy of the defendant was treasurer of the plaintiffs for a number of years, and upon the retirement the plaintiff auditors went over his books and a settlement was effected. The defendant sought to recover a balance alleged to be still due. The learned judge thought it was clearly a case in which an account must be taken and directed a reference, which, if the plaintiff does not accept, the agreed referee, Rowell appeared for defendant.

One More Trade Has Gone to Join the Existing Trades—The Shoemakers. For many years after the first inventions of the shoemaking machines, the hand-made shoe was superior for its wear, resisting qualities. But a genius discovered a new machine—a machine that makes the shoe tighter, stronger and better than a shoemaker can. How much did the genius make out of the invention? History does not record it, but the machines are worth millions to their owners.

A Grand Success. The opening of Philip Jameson's new store proved to be an enormous drawing card to the thousands of shoppers who thronged the busy corner of Yonge and Queen-streets yesterday. A glance at the interior of the retail establishment at once impresses you with the splendid style in which it is fitted, everything is neat shopping a pleasure. In the west gallery of the ground floor a full string orchestra rendered an excellent program of the newest selections. So great was the crowds at times that policemen were required to keep a clear passage way. The orchestra will perform to-day from 2 to 5 p.m. and to 10 p.m.

Personal. Mr. G. R. Cockburn, M.P., was out in a cab yesterday, the first time since the accident to him a week ago. W. C. Hume, B.A., of Aylmer, has been appointed to the position of English specialist in the staff of the Stratford Collegiate Institute in place of T. G. Marquis, B.A., who leaves for Kingston.

Appropriate Christmas Gifts. Nothing is more appropriate for a Christmas gift than a good Bible or Prayer Book and Hymn Book in a neat case. The attention of our readers is especially called to the advertisement of the Mammoth Book Store, who have made an enormous purchase of these books, and are selling them to-day at less than ordinary prices. The store is corner of Yonge and Elm-streets.

Local Settings. A. O. Andrews sells by auction this afternoon at 215 College-street grocery stock scales, gasaliers, range, etc. Don't use any substitute when you can buy "L. & S." brand of pure lard so cheap; there is nothing so good as purity in eatables. John Catto & Son, the well-known King-street grocery and dry goods house, will be open evenings from now till Christmas Eve. An investigation into the condition of the city's bakehouses, as suggested by The World, has been commenced by the Medical Health Officer's staff, and a report will probably be prepared within a few days.

ORGANIZING FOR SHAW

Two Enthusiastic Ward Meetings Held Last Night—Shaw's Supporters Considered His Long and Faithful Service in Council Entitles Him to the Mayor's Chair in the Opinion of the Taxpayers. The friends of Ald. Shaw, who are supporting him in his candidature, held successful ward organization meetings last night. Judging from the enthusiasm shown, and the anxiety of the workers, it is probable that the campaign will be carried on with vigor and in a systematic manner until the polls close.

In the West End. In Ward 4 the meeting was in Wardell's hall. Mr. Miller, factor of the production, and James Mitchell secretary during the campaign. A room has been engaged on Spadina-street, and a canvass will be commenced on Monday. The ward has been divided into sections, and two workers placed in charge of each. Among these names were Messrs. R. E. Kent, S. W. Burns, C. O. Robinson, Ald. Hubbard, Armstrong, S. A. Jones and John McCaffrey.

At both meetings the candidate was given a great reception. He expressed confidence of being elected Mayor for 1896. He had been 11 years in the Council, and had been honored by his colleagues with chairmanships of the Fire and Light, Board of Works and the Public Works Committee. He was made President of the Council, and was also elected Mayor of England in 1894. He was also elected Mayor of Toronto in 1894. He was also elected Mayor of Toronto in 1894.

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Another Big Slipper Purchase We bought to-day from a leading importing fancy shoe house 800 sample pairs Men's Fancy Slippers, the Duke and Alexis patterns, worth \$3.00. They will be offered till Xmas at HALF PRICE.

Toys, Candies, Games, Dolls, Horns, Vases, Music, given away with every purchase. Bring the children out and let them see the Ferris Wheel, run by an electric motor, going around in our show window.

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D. ALMEIDA, Canada's Greatest Clothier, Rounded Corner, Yonge and Queen-Sts.

A Pleasant Reunion. The traditions of the old Grammar School were well sustained last night by the pupils of Jarvis-street Collegiate Institute, in the holding of an anniversary. The occasion was the success of the past. The first part of the program consisted of a concert by the Institute Glee Club, Harold Jarvis, vocalist, L. J. Lugsdin, reed player, and the Institute orchestra.

Ratepayers' Association. At a meeting of this Association last evening it was resolved that a general meeting of the association be held Thursday, the 28th inst., and that the present aldermen as well as prospective candidates for municipal honors, be requested to attend the meeting and speak as to their administration of affairs during the past year, and explain their policy for the future. A committee was appointed to prepare a program for that evening, and a very interesting meeting is anticipated. The association also contemplated the "Trades and Labor Union" in sending out certain circulars to the K. of R. S.; Dr. J. W. Feaker, lodge surgeon; Grand Lodge Representatives, J. L. Little and Thomas G. Soole.

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Stock at 60c on the dollar commences at 11 o'clock to-day at 73 King-street east. Men's Ulsters at Cheyne's Cost, Men's Overcoats at Cheyne's Cost, Men's Suits at Cheyne's Cost, Men's Odd Pants at Cheyne's Cost. Mothers—Buy your Boys' Christmas Overcoats, Ulsters and Suits at Cheyne's cost. You can select from over two thousand dollars' worth of Cheyne's best selections. Come with the crowds.

OUR TRUSSES. Western Canada Loan and Savings Company. 65th Half-Yearly Dividend. Notice is hereby given that a dividend of 4 per cent. for the half-year ending on the 31st of December, 1895, has been declared on the paid-up capital stock, and that the same will be payable at the office of the company, No. 78 Church-street, Toronto, on and after Wednesday, the 28th day of January, 1896. Transfer books will be closed from the 20th to the 24th day of December, inclusive. WALTER S. LEE, Man. Director, Toronto, Nov. 11, 1895.

THE HOME SAVINGS & LOAN CO. LIMITED. DIVIDEND NO. 33. Notice is hereby given that a Dividend of the rate of Seven Per Cent. per annum has this day been declared on the paid-up capital stock of the Company for the half-year ending 31st December instant, and that the same will be payable at the office of the Company, No. 78 Church-st., Toronto, on and after 28th January prox. The transfer books will be closed from 16th to 24th December instant, inclusive. WALTER S. LEE, Manager, Toronto, Dec. 12, 1895.

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Mr. J. B. King, Grand Secretary of the I.O.O.F., is convalescing from a recent illness.

Thomas Burke, a Toronto plasterer, is in the tolls at Walkerton, charged with burglary. Miss Clara Georgan, while entering her room heard a noise under the bed, and returning found Burke assisting her. She quietly went for the assistance of her father, who was called to the scene. By the light of a box of matches he had managed to get under the bed, and was quietly waiting for the stolen property was found in his possession. He was committed for trial.

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FORTIFIED FOR CHRISTMAS.

Mr. Fletcher of Nowhere Accused of Getting His Holiday Fowl and Beef in a High-Handed Manner.

A man giving the name of Fletcher, was assigned to a berth in police headquarters shortly after midnight and went to sleep, charged simply with being drunk. He will awaken this morning to find himself an alleged burglar. Fletcher was discovered asleep in a doorway at King and West Market, at 11:45 by Night Watchman Pollock, with a prime roast of beef and a good fat turkey doing duty as a pillow. He was apparently surprised to learn that he was the possessor of such valuable property, but, being unable to account for the manner in which he had secured them he was locked up as a drunken suspect.

A subsequent investigation by Pollock and P.C. Hansen disclosed the fact that the butchering establishments of Dan Kelly and John Malton, at St. Lawrence Market, had been broken into and a quantity of roast beef ox hearts and mutton steaks, as well as a turkey, removed and hidden at different points in the market. Investigations pointed to Fletcher as the culprit and he will be accordingly charged with burglary.

TRADES AND LABOR

The Council in Session Consider Several Important Matters.

The Trades and Labor Council met last evening, Delegate Holmes in the chair. The offer of The Brotherhood Era as a publication was accepted, and the following committee elected to edit the three columns accorded them in each issue: Messrs. O'Donohue, Hazel and Armstrong. The election was conducted under the Hare-System, but the system of first and second choice. The result gave rise to some little discussion, and a motion was offered doing away with the system in Trades and Labor elections. The system of more representation to the minority was considered a plank in the labor movement, and the motion was supported by several sources. At a late hour it was laid upon the table for future consideration.

The Metal Polishers, Buffers and Platers' Union, through their delegate, J. Madrum, requested the Council to appoint three members to accompany a deputation from their union who would shortly visit upon the proprietors of the new Losler bicycle factory at Toronto Junction and protest against that factory employing non-union men and cutting the union scale in half, as they had threatened to do. The Metal Polishers affirm that the Losler Co. are putting in some 25 green hands, and demand their intention of cutting the union rate in two. This, they declare, is done because they think they can fight the union here better than they can in Cleveland, where their other factory is established.

A special meeting is called for Friday evening to consider the committee's report.

The Harbord-Collegiate. Harbord-Collegiate Institute, although not the oldest in the city, has an enviable reputation as an "At Home" of its Literary Society and Old Boys' Club is an event of great interest to many young West Enders. Last night the members of the society, with many old pupils, again gathered at the Institute and enjoyed themselves as only young people can.

A concert program of an exceedingly interesting character filled the hall of the entertainment. The participants were: Victoria Banjo Club, Miss Jessie Hainley, Miss Irene Little, Miss May Dickenson, Miss Thom and Messrs. Peck, Harris, Roof, Parsons and Badger. A series of duets by boys and girls of the school was well worthy of praise and evoked liberal applause from the large audience.

At the conclusion of the concert refreshments were served, and a splendid program of orchestral music made the promise made with which the rest of the evening was taken up most enjoyable.

Delancey-Fox Concert. The Delancey-Fox recital at St. George's Hall last night, attended by a very fashionable and critical audience. Mr. George Fox, the vocalist, made a notable success. After a period of musical "barn storming" he showed himself as an artist of far higher calibre than he has hitherto shown himself. He has been guided as what the average Canadian artist usually is—a provincial performer. Last night before a particular critical audience he stepped up into the ranks of the very best. His style and execution are sure, enthusiastic and authoritative, and he is picked up a pretty emotional somewhere that adds much depth and picturesqueness to his interpretations. The difficult numbers he presented were inspired by a true and delightful sentiment and the most winning grace. Mr. Fox's recital was a triumph over all odds. At times a slight indisposition affected his voice, but his numbers were all done in charming style and in a most masterly manner. The audience insisted on a repetition of the same number. Mrs. Blackstock showed both skill and feeling as a pianist and Mr. Giuseppe Dinelli's accompaniments were sincerely done.

The Incessant Club's Fair. The Mother Goose Fair at Massey Hall was again largely attended yesterday afternoon and evening. The Q.O.R. band took part in the concert in the evening and Mr. Leslie Boyd's tenor solos also charmed the audience. Success has so far crowned the efforts of the promoters and to-day there will be a grand promenade in the afternoon, a delightful concert at night and an auction sale to conclude the event.

Firming Will Try Again. Notwithstanding that Mr. R. J. Fleming has been elected Mayor twice, and been defeated twice, he will again be a candidate for the position.

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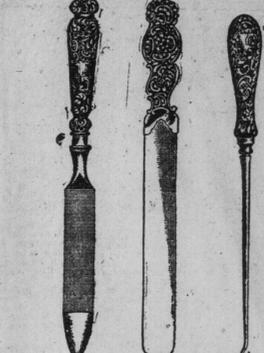


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