

CHEAP POSTAGE RATES IN FORCE

NEW RATES BETWEEN CANADA AND GREAT BRITAIN BEGAN YESTERDAY.

By Associated Press. LONDON, May 1.—Beginning with this date and continuing for four years, the postage on newspapers, magazines and trade journals between Great Britain and Canada is to be two cents a pound instead of 3 cents as heretofore.

WILL STICK TO PRINCE RUPERT

G.T.P. OFFICIAL DENIES THAT COMPANY WILL CHANGE WESTERN TERMINUS.

Special to The Leader. MONTREAL, May 1.—Secretary Phillips, of the G.T.P., tonight in reply to the rumor that the G.T.P. would abandon the G.T.P. line at Prince Rupert for North Vancouver as the western terminus of the road, said that it was all newspaper talk.

WOULD EXTEND THE COMMISSION'S WORK

CHAIRMAN OF WATERWAYS COMMISSION GIVES ACCOUNT OF YEAR'S WORK.

Special to The Leader. OTTAWA, May 1.—C. C. Gibson, G.P., chairman of the Waterways Commission, appeared before the Senate today and gave an account of the work done by the Commission during the past year.

CORNER STONE LAID OF MASONIC TEMPLE

LARGE GATHERING OF MASONS WITNESS HISTORIC CEREMONY.

With all the pomp and ceremony peculiar to the Masonic order, the corner stone of the new Masonic Temple was laid yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

GENERAL STRIKE ON IN WARSAW

MAY DAY CELEBRATED BY CESSION OF ALL BUSINESS—RIOTS AT LODZ.

By Associated Press. WARSAW, Russian Poland, May 1.—The general strike ordered for today by the Polish Socialists was observed in a most dramatic manner.

BRANDON STILL SHORT OF FUEL

NO COAL IN CITY AND WEATHER COLD—WOOD AT \$12 A CORD.

Special to The Leader. BRANDON, Man., May 1.—The shortage of fuel in Brandon is becoming more acute every day.

EXPLOSION WRECKS LUMBER SHANTY

FIVE MEN HORRIBLY INJURED THROUGH DRYING CART-RIDGES ON STOVE.

Special to The Leader. QUEBEC, May 1.—News of a terrible explosion which wrecked a lumber shanty in the city of Quebec, reached here today.

TORONTO WITHOUT MILK THIS MORNING

PEOPLE OF QUEEN CITY MUST GO WITHOUT THEIR PORRIDGE AWHILE.

Special to The Leader. TORONTO, May 1.—There is every indication of a milk famine in Toronto tomorrow. The milk dealers and the Producers Association have failed to come to terms.

PLAYING WITH GUN HAS FATAL RESULT

SIXTEEN-YEAR-OLD BOY KILLS COMPANION—THE SAME OLD STORY.

By Associated Press. CROOKSTON, May 1.—Arnold Sparby, aged 11 years, was shot and instantly killed at the home of J. Horst in the town of Gardon, by Albert Singard, aged 16 years, with a gun which "he didn't know was loaded."

HAS NO FEAR OF AMERICANIZATION

SIR WILFRID SAYS AMERICANS IN CANADA APPRECIATE ITS SUPERIORITY.

By Associated Press. LONDON, May 1.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the Canadian Premier, today said he had no fear that Canada would be Americanized.

PLASTERERS GO OUT IN WINNIPEG

MEN ASK FOR ADVANCE TO 60 CENTS PER HOUR STRIKERS CONFIDENT.

Special to The Leader. WINNIPEG, May 1.—Plasterers went out this morning in an attempt to enforce a demand for a raise of 60 cents per hour.

EXPLANATION OF POLICE MOVEMENTS

ACTING PREMIER CARTWRIGHT DENIES MEN WERE SENT IN CONNECTION WITH STRIKE.

Special to The Leader. REGINA, B.C., May 1.—Mackenzie King has received the following communication from acting premier Cartwright.

GRATUITIES FOR EDUCATIONALISTS

ONTARIO GOVERNMENT MAKES LARGE GRANTS FOR LONG SERVICE.

Special to The Leader. TORONTO, May 1.—The educational department of the Ontario government today granted a gratuity of \$4,000 to Professor McLellan.

KUROKI WELCOMED WITH GUN SALUTE

JAPANESE GENERAL ENTER-TAINED BY LIEUT-GOVERNOR DUNSMUIR TO LUNCHEON.

Special to The Leader. VICTORIA, May 1.—On the arrival here of Gen. Baron Kuroki and party, this afternoon, they were received with a salute of seventeen guns.

FOR THE REST OF HIS NATURAL LIFE

STIFF SENTENCE METED OUT BY A B.C. JUDGE TO SELF-CONFESSED RUFFIAN.

Special to The Leader. NELSON, B.C., May 1.—The grand jury today found a true bill against James Mamarino for the attempted murder of his uncle on March 21st.

CANADA CONFIDENT OF HER FUTURE

ENGLISH COMMENT ON SIR WILFRID LAURIER'S ATTITUDE AT CONFERENCE.

By Associated Press. LONDON, May 1.—Premier Deakin concluded his speech to the House of Commons this afternoon.

REFUSE TO HEAR THE BRAND APOSTLE OF PEACE IN OTTAWA

Special to The Leader. OTTAWA, May 1.—At a meeting of the Canadian Club the proposal to have W. F. Stead, the famous peace delegate, address the club was turned down.

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MONTREAL WIFE SOLD BY HUSBAND

\$10 CASH AND TEN MONTHLY PAYMENTS OF \$5 WERE TERMS OF SALE.

Special to The Leader. MONTREAL, May 1.—A wife was sold here last week for \$60, of which \$10 was paid down.

YESTERDAY'S BASEBALL

Eastern League— Jersey City 3, Providence 2. At Buffalo—Toronto 4, Buffalo 9. At Rochester—Rochester 4, Montreal 1.

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Everyone of average intelligence knows something of the immense value of Cod Liver Oil and Iron as remedial agents.

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were given to ten patients and the result was a net increase in weight of ninety-five pounds, we are aware that we are asking a great deal; nevertheless we are prepared to prove that this is an absolute fact.

There is no surer indication of approaching disease than a considerable loss of weight and even where this is not the case, a man whose weight is not up to the average is always in danger of contracting any of the germ diseases which are unfortunately so prevalent.

The desirability of maintaining the weight should therefore be apparent. In view of this we can confidently recommend "FERROL" as the surest, speediest and most effective medicine by which the weight may be maintained or restored.

LIEUT. OF RIEL'S IN THE LIME LIGHT

PRESDENT ROOSEVELT READS LESSON TO HORACE JAXON, FORMERLY OF REGINA.

WASHINGTON, April 24.—The White House, the British embassy and the American Federation of Labor were up to the six today when it was suddenly and unexpectedly learned that Honore Jaxon, whom the president read a lesson to, was secretary to Louis Riel, Jaxon's stormy career started at Regina in 1885.

SUCCESSFUL CANADIAN VETS.

58 Out of 59 Successful in Course Inspecting in Chicago.

OTTAWA, April 24.—Out of the 59 young veterinary surgeons who were sent from various parts of Canada to Chicago during the past winter to take a course in inspecting in that city 58 have passed the examinations after only one month's study.



There's nothing like St. George's Baking Powder. It keeps its strength—the last spoonful is as good as the first.

RIVAL FOR "SOO" SEEDING CHECKED NO FEAR OF FLOOD

NEW UNION RAILWAY TO RUN SOUTHEAST FROM NEAR THE BOUNDARY.

ST. PAUL, Minn., April 24.—Railroad interests were aroused today by the appearance in the Minneapolis and "Soo" line headquarters of three men interested in the new Union Railway Company of North Dakota.

HOW LONDONERS LIONIZE BOTHA

LONDON, April 24.—The New York Sun's correspondent cables the following interesting account of Gen. Botha's reception at the London Guildhall on Monday.

MINERS AND OPERATORS FAILED THIS FAR IN SETTLING DISPUTED QUESTIONS.

FERNIE, B. C., April 24.—The miners and operators were in conference all morning, and at half past eleven the latter left and held a private conference at the Crow's Nest Company's offices.

FLOODS AT GREENA

GREENA, Man., April 24.—A considerable washout occurred on the Midland track between here and Plum Coulee and a large block of the country around here is flooded for miles and the farmers are using rafts to get about on.

IS THIS HORACE MARVIN?

GLOVERSVILLE, N. Y., April 24.—The police have in custody a youngster who resembles Horace Marvin, the boy's father, is a nephew of Myles Standish, nephew of Dr. Marvin, the boy's father, is a nephew of Myles Standish, nephew of Dr. Marvin.

Fire in New York Harbor

NEW YORK, April 24.—The Harbor firemen had a hard fight today with a fire which destroyed the freight steamer Pioneer, causing a loss of \$75,000.

Coal Found Near Strathcona

CHICAGO, April 24.—John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers of America, is ill with a severe cold.

Accidents to your horse

Fellows' Essence For Lameness in Horses. Only 50c. a bottle—and saves dollars worth of time by curing lameness in a few minutes.

REGINA VETERINARY STOCK FOOD

Prepare your horses for spring work by using REGINA VETERINARY STOCK FOOD

Capital all paid up \$14,000,000 Reserve Fund 10,000,000 Balance Profit and Loss 583,196

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THE SYSTEM THAT SAVES TIME and MONEY

Time is Money! Waste no time and you waste no money

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Medical, Dental, Veterinary, and other professional advertisements including Dr. J. H. Young and various medical practitioners.

Advertisement for 'Fruit-a-tives' as a cure for skin diseases like pimples and blotches, claiming to 'clean the blood of all impurities'.

Advertisement for 'Fruit-a-tives' (Fruit Liver Tablets) as a cure for various ailments, including skin conditions and general weakness.

Advertisement for 'Fruit-a-tives' (Fruit Liver Tablets) highlighting its benefits for skin health and overall well-being.

Advertisement for 'Fruit-a-tives' (Fruit Liver Tablets) emphasizing its effectiveness in treating skin diseases.

Advertisement for 'Fruit-a-tives' (Fruit Liver Tablets) detailing its ingredients and health benefits.

Advertisement for 'Fruit-a-tives' (Fruit Liver Tablets) as a natural remedy for skin and blood issues.

Advertisement for 'Fruit-a-tives' (Fruit Liver Tablets) with a testimonial and contact information for the manufacturer.

Does Municipal Ownership Pay? An interesting discussion by Knox Church Brotherhood on the merits of public utility ownership.

Trade Returns Still Growing. A report on the increase in trade returns and exports during the past fiscal year.

Irish Immigration. A report on the increase of nearly 5,000 Irish immigrants last year over the preceding year.

Toronto Protestants. A report on the launch of a new organization in Toronto, aimed at promoting Protestant interests.

Newsboy in Trouble. A report on a newsboy who was arrested for selling newspapers on a street corner.

Killed While Walking on the Tracks. A report on a man who was killed while walking on the railway tracks.

How the U.S. Cream Separator Starts Itself. An advertisement for a U.S. Cream Separator, highlighting its unique self-starting mechanism.

Sweatbox Ordeal Fails to Awe Her. A report on a woman who underwent a 'sweatbox ordeal' to prove her innocence in a poisoning case.

Good Progress with Estimates. A report on the progress of estimating public works and municipal projects.

Memorial from Miami District. A report on a memorial presented to the railway commission regarding the Miami district.

Chinaman's Brave Deed. A report on a Chinese man who performed a brave deed by saving a child from a fire.

A Civil Service Commissioner. A report on the appointment of a new civil service commissioner.

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Women Who Wear Well. An advertisement for a women's health product, claiming to improve skin and overall health.

Protest from Mr. Bourassa. A report on a protest organized by Mr. Bourassa against the incorporation of existing rights.

Platform of the Democrats. A report on the platform of the Democratic party, focusing on tariff reform and other issues.

Abatement Talk for Effect Only. A report on a talk given by a prominent figure regarding the abatement of certain issues.

Britain No Idea of Hague Conference Adopting Reduction Proposal. A report on the British government's stance on a proposed reduction in military spending.

Government Refuses to Enforce Dominion Lord's Day Act. A report on the government's refusal to enforce the Dominion Lord's Day Act.

Decorated by the French Government. A report on a Canadian who was decorated by the French government for his services.

**READY NOW!**  
**"THE PATRIOT"**  
Piccolo Mondo Antio  
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"For Bread!  
For Italy!  
For God!"

This is the first of the famous trilogy of novels by Antonio Fogazzaro, a companion volume to "THE SAINT," the novel that is making history.

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**CANADA DRUG & BOOK COMPANY**

**BIGAMIST DOWN FOR FOUR YEARS**

**JAMES BELBECK'S EXCUSE FOR BREAKING THE LAW HAD NO EFFECT ON JUDGE.**

LONDON, Ont., April 27.—James Belbeck, of Exeter, who pleaded guilty to the charge of bigamy, appeared before Judge Macbeth Friday Morning and was sentenced to four years in the Kingston penitentiary.

Mr. E. W. Scatcherd appeared on behalf of the prisoner and made an appeal for leniency in support of which he produced letters from the parents of the second wife, and also from the first Mrs. Belbeck.

About eight months ago Belbeck became acquainted with a family named Harris, who resided a half a mile from London, and went to their home to board under the name of John Bull. Although he is 53 years of age, Belbeck became enamored of Ada Harris, a sixteen-year-old girl, and shortly afterward proposed marriage to her.

The girl's father, who had never heard of her, sent her a letter, and she received a visit from Mrs. Belbeck, the prisoner's first wife, who informed her that she was the wife of Miss Harris' intended husband.

The girl's parents then made a few casual inquiries in reference to the matter and found that no man by the name of John Bull had been married in this city.

Mr. Harris eventually accepted his offer of marriage.

"Did you tell the girl that you were not a married man?" asked Judge Macbeth today.

"No, sir, she didn't ask me and out, your honor," replied the accused.

"When you took your affidavit in procuring a license for the second marriage, did you not?" continued his honor.

"I don't remember taking an affidavit, replied Belbeck. "Nobody asked me whether I was married before or not. I lied to the minister who married us, though, and told him that I had never been married before."

Belbeck, who is all of six feet in height, arose slowly from his chair and said: "Your honor, I am an illiterate man and can neither read nor write, and I did not know anything about the law."

Judge Macbeth, however, could not see any excuse for leniency, and he sent Belbeck down for four years.

**CAN. DIRECTORS FOR S. S. LINE**

**COMPANY PROMOTING SHIPPING BETWEEN NOVA SCOTIA AND ICELAND PROGRESSING.**

MONTREAL, Que., April 27.—A communication received in this city from London, Eng., is taken to indicate that the promoters of the proposed Canadian steamship line between Nova Scotia, Ireland and Halifax, N. S., are determined to carry out their project. The communication states that the promoters have had several long interviews with Sir Wilfrid Laurier and other Canadian statesmen now in England and that the premier and his colleagues evinced much interest in the undertaking.

An interesting announcement in connection with the schemes is the proposal by the English promoters that four Montreal business men should be appointed to the board, and that on the approval of Lord Strathcona, Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, president of the Canadian Pacific, Sir George Drummond, president of the Bank of Montreal, Mr. Robert Reford, president of the Robert Ross Steamship Agency, and Mr. R. Bickerdike, M.P., vice president of the Hochelaga bank, have been named, and these gentlemen are requesting that they be accepted as members of the board of management.

Sir Thomas Torridge, who is working hard to bring about the establishment of the new fast line between London and Montreal, spoke yesterday to the British government, followed by the proposed grant of \$1,000,000 towards the undertaking by the Canadian authorities.

**CHICAGO PIT BRAIN STORM**

**FLURRY ON BOARD OF TRADE OWING TO REPORTED DESTRUCTION OF WHEAT CROP.**

CHICAGO, April 27.—The board of trade grain speculators yesterday had one of their periodical "brain storms." Twenty-one years ago a lady from London sented a small child, a little girl 2 months old. Reward to any one giving information about this child. The child was seen in 1886 a richly dressed, strikingly beautiful young woman arrived in Brussels from England, via London. In 1886 a richly dressed, strikingly beautiful young woman arrived in Brussels from England, via London. In 1886 a richly dressed, strikingly beautiful young woman arrived in Brussels from England, via London.

**DESERTED CHILD 21 YEARS AGO**

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**WOMAN DOUBTS IDENTITY OF HUSBY**

**AFTER FOURTEEN YEARS SHE BELIEVES HE IS NOT THE MAN WHO MARRIED HER.**

LONDON, April 27.—There are no limits to the strange things that can happen in this world of ours. Yesterday a woman who had been married fourteen years, in calm, instinctive tones, explained to the bewildered Magistrate at Willesden that she "had noticed a change in her husband" and was now sure that a substitute had taken his place.

**FIERCE FIGHT WITH A LEOPARD**

**FEROCIOUS BEAST ATTACKS OF FICER'S WIFE AND HE COMES TO THE RESCUE.**

LUCKNOW, April 27.—A few days ago Lieutenant Colonel Hutchinson, of the Second Gurkhas, had a thrilling fight with a leopard, which attacked his wife while on a shooting trip near Dehra Dun.

**MANY KILLED BY COLLAPSE OF PIER**

**GREAT WORK WHILST IN COURSE OF CONSTRUCTION PLUNGES INTO THE SEA.**

BALTIMORE, Md., April 28.—With a roar that terrified thousands and a rush that drove a wave six feet high to distant parts of the inner harbor of Baltimore, nearly half of a pier under construction at the end of Point today broke away from the shore and plunged into the water.

**WESTERNERS WAIT FOR BY. COM**

**PRESENTED MEMO ALARMING CONDITON OF TRANSPORTATION.**

OTTAWA, April 24.—Members of Parliament at Saskatoon today presented a memorial to the Hon. Minister of Railways and Colonies, asking that a committee be appointed to inquire into the condition of transportation in the west.

**IS PROTEGE OF THRONELESS KING**

**STORY IN REAL LIFE READS LIKE A PAGE FROM OLD WORLD ROMANCE.**

ST. PAUL, Minn., April 28.—Through receipt of a letter containing a present of money and a petition for a divorce from a woman who had married the blind King of Hanover, it is known that the present to the blind King of Hanover, known as the "throneless king," was recently made known.

**ROBBED BY IMMIGRANT FARM HAND**

**ST. CATHERINES, Ont., April 23.**

ST. CATHARINES, Ont., April 23.—Wm. Crawford, Niagara township, came to town last night looking for a farm hand and engaged John Armstrong, an immigrant. The man went to the barn to hitch up the horses when Armstrong is said to have seen Crawford take out a thick roll of bills.

**SAYS NO POLICE WERE SENT TO B.C.**

**Development of the West.**

A few years ago when a man spoke of the West he meant Manitoba only or including perhaps one or two points then in the North-West Territories and no one had any conception of the extent of the era of development that was to arrive.

**"ROBBERS" CAVE AT TREHERNE**

**WANTED TO LEAD THE WILD LIFE INVADED.**

**DEN OF YOUNGSTERS WHO WANTED TO LEAD THE WILD LIFE INVADED.**

TREHERNE, Man., April 27.—As one of our citizens was watering his horse at the Pointe yesterday morning a large number of boys made it a game of resort, playing a sort of "robbers' cave" game.

**"WILDMAN" IN MINNESOTA WOODS**

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**PARLIAMENT RISES AND M.P.'S GO HOME**

**PROROGATION TAKES PLACE AFTER A NEEDLESSLY EXTENDED SESSION.**

OTTAWA, April 28.—At a meeting of Liberal members with John Tolmie, M.P., in the chair, a cable was sent to Sir Wilfrid Laurier at the "boys of Room Sixteen," the Liberal headquarters. It was as follows:

**WABASH TRAIN WRECKED.**

**Jumps Track and Engineer and Fireman Killed.**

PITTSBURG, Pa., April 28.—A Wabash train jumped the track and plunged into a creek at Bridgeville, Va., near here this evening. The engineer and fireman were killed, but no passengers are reported to have been injured.

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**CANADA AND THE UNITED STATES**

**SIR EDWARD GREY TO TALK OVER DIFFERENCES BETWEEN COUNTRIES.**

LONDON, April 27.—Foreign Secretary Grey is taking advantage of the presence of the colonial premiers in London to take first hand views of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Sir Robert Borden on the questions pending between the United States and Canada and Newfoundland respectively.

**SPRING LATE IN GERMANY.**

**Twenty Inches of Snow in Some Districts—Roads Blocked.**

BERLIN, April 27.—Wintry weather prevails in Germany. The Thuringian forests and Rhine mountains are covered with snow which is reported to be twenty inches deep in several districts. The roads in the Harts mountains are impassable.

**Does fit Doesn't shrink**

**Pen-Angle Underwear has the soft warm feel of the finest fabric. Doesn't itch. Made for men, women and little folks, in a variety of styles, fabrics and prices.**

ROSSLAND, April 27.—The mines and smelters of this section keep operation but their output is not so large as it would be were the coal mines of the district at work. It is sincerely hoped that the conciliation committee appointed under the new trades dispute bill will be able to settle all the differences that have arisen between the operators and the men.

**Winnipeg, April 27.**

**Contract May be Sub-let at Early Date for 50 Miles.**

WINNIPEG, April 27.—Negotiations are in progress which, it is expected, will result in the subletting of a large section of the National Transcontinental route between Winnipeg and Superior Junction. The section is 50 miles in length, and the company which is negotiating with J. D. McArthur for the work is the Eastern Construction Company, of Ottawa.

**Children Start Fire at Brandon.**

**BRANDON, Man., April 26.**

BRANDON, Man., April 26.—The residence of Charles J. Brant on 19th street was completely gutted by fire last night. The blaze is believed to have started by children playing with matches.

**Joint Stock Companies in Ontario.**

**TORONTO, April 26.**

TORONTO, April 26.—The right of Ontario to charter joint stock companies and collect therefor, which the province has been doing since Confederation, has been threatened by the Ontario Government at Ottawa. The federal government will be the other party to the litigation. The case will be argued May 7.

**CONFERENCE**

**Miners and Oper Settlemen**

FERNIE, B. C., April 27.—The conference is over and the union will take a few days to settle up. The operators' representatives met at 9 o'clock, when they voted their confidence in the district board.

**Women, Children and Timid Men Keep to Their Homes Now After Nightfall.**

**Anoka, Minn., April 27.**

ANOKA, Minn., April 27.—The woods near the farm of G. Posey in Hennepin county, a short distance from Anoka, are harboring a so-called wild man and the countryside has taken the alarm and children are not permitted to go to school without protection, and the women, and even the house when the shadows of night come down.

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CITY AND COUNTRY

From Thursday's Morning Leader.

The Board of Trade will hold its regular general meeting tonight.

The Civil Service football team had their first practice yesterday afternoon in Victoria Park.

D. McEwen, western business representative of the Toronto Globe, is in the city on his annual spring trip.

Among the real estate sales recorded yesterday was \$2,400 worth of lots in the Eastern Annex and \$1,125 in Washington Park.

Rev. E. A. Henry, who was called East to his home in Hamilton on account of the death of his mother, has returned to the city.

Somewhat to the surprise of most people a freight and a passenger train came in yesterday from the north and it is hoped to get out a passenger this morning.

Dr. M. M. Seymour, who continues in rather poor health, is leaving for Chicago where he will be treated in one of the large hospitals. Dr. G. A. Charlton accompanies him.

Large sales have taken place this week in Assiniboia Place property, no less than four blocks having been disposed of for a total of over \$15,000. Blocks 6, 13 and 17 were disposed of on Monday and Tuesday and yesterday Messrs. H. L. Johnson & Co. effected the sale of another block.

The Masonic Temple is making great progress towards completion. The brick work is well under way. It was the intention of the directors to have the corner-stone laid by the Grand Lodge officers on their way to the meeting of the Grand Lodge at Prince Albert next June. Owing to the rapid construction of the building it is proposed to proceed with the ceremony at an early date in May. A general meeting of resident masons is called for this evening in the lodge room to discuss what steps should be taken in connection with the event.

From Friday Morning's Leader.

Mrs. J. R. Pollock will not receive today nor again till the fourth Friday of June.

Owing to the large increase in attendance at recent Board of Trade meetings it is proposed to see whether some more commodious place of meeting cannot be found than the Civic Chamber.

The Commissioner of the Board of Trade is to communicate with the Postmaster General with a view to urging upon the Department the claims of Regina to a free city delivery.

Mrs. W. M. Williamson will receive for the first time in her new home Victoria avenue, tomorrow afternoon from four to six o'clock, and after that date on the third Tuesday of each month.

The McCarthy Supply Co., who have the contract of furnishing the Von's Hotel, are busy unloading three cars of furniture, etc., just arrived, but they hope to have the entire equipment complete inside of one week.

At a meeting of the employees of the Massey-Harris Co., held last night a football club was organized with the idea of entering the City League. The following officers were elected: Captain, R. H. Ross; secretary, S. G. Lowthian; committee, D. McPherson, Fred Aked, J. J. Macintosh. The first practice will be held tomorrow afternoon.

A joint meeting of the Finance, Parks and Cemeteries committees of the City Council was held last evening to discuss the question of the enlargement of the cemetery and the establishment of a park adjoining the cemetery on the north side of the city. An effort will be made to obtain the grant of the 200 acres owned by the Dominion Government for these purposes.

(From Saturday's Morning Leader.)

As stated yesterday Mrs. W. M. Williamson will receive for the first time in her new home, Victoria Ave., this afternoon from four to six o'clock and in future on the third Tuesday of each month.

Prof. McNaughton, of McGill University spent yesterday in the city enroute to Edmonton and invested in some far-famed Regina real estate, purchasing a block of land in the Alexandra Annex from Kaig's Real Estate Exchange.

Writing from North Carolina, Fremier Scott states "real warm weather has not reached here yet, so I am going on to Florida for a taste of the real article." Mr. Scott adds that he is gaining strength steadily and is beginning to feel pretty fit.

The Kettle River Quarries create wood block paving company hope to start work on their contract today and are advertising for men. The first piece to be taken in hand will be Rose street from Elvewich to Twelfth Avenue. J. W. Burton, of Kansas City, who is in charge of the work, states that it is the intention of his company to push through the work allotted to them with the least possible delay.

The Regina Steam Laundry Football Club has been organized with a view to entering the City League competition. The first match of the season will be played at Railway Park this evening vs. The Massey-Harris Club. Kick off 6.30 p.m. The Laundry team will be as follows: goal, W. H. Hurler; backer, K. Doyle; A. N. Oother; halfbacks, K. Sutherland, A. Mackrell, J. Alfred; forwards, D. Campbell, Kinread, Bait, Marshall, Nuckett. Referee, J. Valentine.

From Monday Morning's Leader.

Commissioner A. B. Perry, H. W. Laird and A. E. Whitmore, returned on Friday from Weyburn, in which town they have considerable interests.

S. K. Duff, Jr., has returned from Weyburn, where he has been in connection with the purchase of a block in the Highfield subdivision of that prosperous Soo Line town.

S. S. Scott, real estate agent, is on a business trip North. Mr. Scott proposes establishing several branch offices in some of the thriving towns on the Prince Albert line.

Coroner Thomson, Regina, held an inquest on the remains of a black bear named Stadel found in a shack near Bethune recently. Cor. Jarvis, garded as satisfactory.

R.N.W.M. Policeman, stationed at Lumsden, had charge of the case. The remains were interred on Friday last. A large number of neighbors attended the ceremony.—Lumsden News-Record.

A team selected from the members of the Civil Service Football Club played a friendly game with the Bankers of the city in the Railway Athletic Grounds on Saturday afternoon, resulting in a win by the former team by three to nil. Both sides showed good individual play, but were lacking in combination. As this was the first match of the season much may have been learned by the practice.

Mrs. Edward C. Corbeau and her two children will leave in a few days for the east, accompanied by Miss Corbeau, who has been spending the winter in Regina. Mrs. Corbeau will visit Mrs. William Bawit, of Winnipeg, for a short time and then go on to Toronto to spend a few months with her parents, after which she will visit Mr. Corbeau's parents at their summer home, "Smooth Isle," Georgian Bay.

Mr. Robert Tink, Deputy Supreme Chief Ranger of the Independent Order of Foresters is in the city transacting business in connection with the local Court of the I.O.F. He has made arrangements for the institution of a Companion Court I.O.F. in connection with Court Wisconsin No. 1375 of Regina, to be composed of any ladies between the ages of 18 and 45. All interested in the formation of the Corps are invited to attend.

George E. Evoy has written to the City Council tendering his resignation as building inspector. Mr. Evoy was appointed to this position at last week's meeting of the City Council.

Commissioner Perry is negotiating with the City Council with regard to the site for a new town police station, and if satisfactory arrangements can be made a new station will be erected this summer.

Mr. Chas. Houly, who has been connected in the freight office of the C.P.R. for the past five years, has been transferred to Moose Jaw to fill the position of assistant inspector of dining cars.

The City Council has decided to make a guarantee of \$3,500 to the Regina Industrial and Agricultural Association in connection with the fair to be held under their auspices in July next.

The work of placing in position the massive stone pillars of the new post office was begun yesterday. These will run up for two stories, that is from the floor of the second storey to the top of the third, and will give the building a very substantial and imposing appearance.

A team of bowlers representing the Alexandra Hotel defeated in the third series of games in the bowling tournament by the Kide last night. The Kide won the three games which makes six straight wins for them. S. Von made the highest score, 170; Stubbings a close second with 169. Five teams are to take part in the tournament. Kids, Easy Marks, Has Wars and the Alexandras.

W. B. Sherman, of Calgary, has applied for a lease of the auditorium in Sherman's greatest circuit, and that he would be willing to let the auditorium for public functions at half the regular show price.

The sum provided for in the estimates of the Fire, Light and Power Committee includes it is understood a substantial amount for the purpose of placing the Fire Brigade upon a more efficient basis. It is proposed, and the estimates make provision for so doing, to have a paid and permanent body of six or seven men in addition to the present volunteers, and Chief White is to devote the whole of his time to the brigade at a salary of \$1,200 a year.

The fine weather which prevailed yesterday gave an impetus to all kinds of building operations and the city presented a very busy appearance. The work of street paving was commenced by the Kettle River Quarries Co. on Rose street. The teamsters, bricklayers and carpenters were hard at work all over the city. A drive around the city gives some fair idea of the magnitude of the building to be done in Regina this year.

The joint committee appointed by the governments of Alberta and Saskatchewan to examine and report upon new text books for use in the schools of the two provinces which met last week in Calgary, has completed its work and has presented

TRADING COMPANY STORE NEWS

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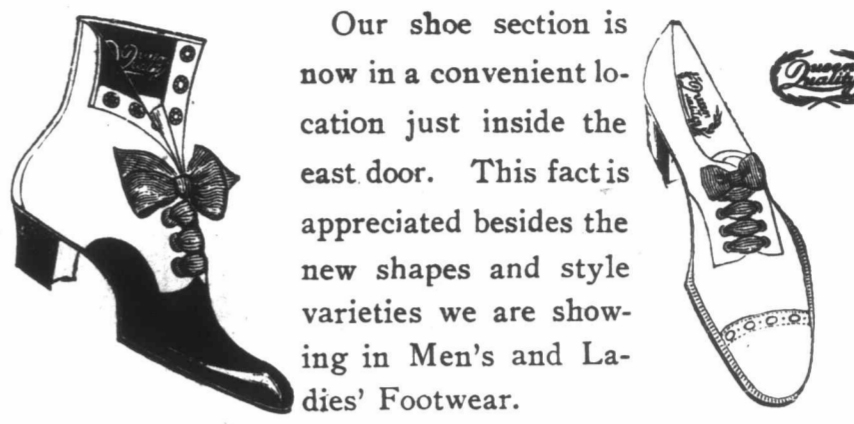
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Charming New Suits in Taffeta, Japanese and Chinese Silks of which it will be but necessary to give a slight description to convince you of the high order of style and fabrics embroidered herein.

Mode I.—Taffeta Silk Suits in a beautiful grey plaid with black silk piping on shoulder strappings and on cuffs. Complete with self collar, tab style, self girdle. Charming Suits, \$25.00.

Mode II.—A study in green Taffeta silk suits made in Gibson style waist with fancy stitching and button trimmings. Very exclusive modes, \$22.50.

Mode III.—The new browns in Taffeta silk suits, pleated skirt with folds and stitching. Very effective and new.

Mode IV.—Dainty Silk Suits in white taffeta and Japanese silk made with either low or high neck and superbly tailored.

Mode V.—Rich and red silk suits prettily made and trimmed with the white lace on yoke and cuffs. Worth every dollar of the price, \$32.00.

**Striking Economies**  
IN A JOB LOT OF

**Waists, White Underskirts, Drawers, Corset Covers, etc.**

On Sale Saturday, Only 50c on the Dollar

Ladies' Blouses, of Lawn, Gingham, Muslins, Chambrays, Net Lace, Black or White Silks. Newest modes, including popular "Peter Pan" styles.

Children's Dresses, Boys' Blouses, Infants' Dresses, Wrappers, White Underskirts, Corset Covers, Drawers and Ladies' Shirt-Waist Suits, all going SATURDAY FOR HALF.

In a stroke of good fortune our buyer ran across a job lot of Ladies' Waists, Shirt Waist Suits, Ladies' Underskirts, Corset Covers, Boys, Blouses, Children's Dresses, Etc. Every one is in this year's style and only one of a kind.

This is your opportunity to get something exclusive. Something in the way of a waist, summer shirt waist suit, etc., that will be entirely different from the ordinary run of garments you will see this season. Each garment is the product of a well known maker and absolutely new in style.

We bought these at a most unusual reduction, for business reasons we cannot state what we paid. But on sale they go to clear on Saturday at only one half the regular prices.

Ladies' Blouses 1907 styles in muslins, Persian lawns, Swiss Muslins, all over lace, net lace, fancy embroidered, lustrous in cream and blue black sateen, China silk, chambray gingham. Every fabric that will be worn this season from the cool shimmering summer garments to the more sturdy gingham, chambrays and lustrous. All half regular prices.

Muslin Underskirts, Corset Covers, Chemises, Drawers, Girls' Dresses and Overall, Boys' Blouses, Ladies' Shirt Waist Suits in Peter Pan styles, Ladies' Wrappers, etc., etc.

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Particularly good values in Boys' Sweaters in contrasting colors of collar and wrists. Fine elastic ribbed sweaters of pure wool and spring weight and neat collar.

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Boys' Sweaters of pure wool, honeycomb weave, sailor collar buttoned at throat, colors, grey with cardinal and blue, with cardinal. On sale \$1.50.

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A new lot of Jams now in stock which we always sold and other stores also sell at 75c. Now on sale in grocery section, 65c.

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Size 8x10 feet with 3-ft. wall, 8-oz. duck	\$10.00
Size 10x12 feet with 3-ft. wall, 8-oz. duck	\$12.00
Size 10x12 feet with 3-ft. wall, 10-oz. duck	\$14.00
Size 12x14 feet with 3 1/2-ft. wall, 10-oz. duck	\$19.00
Size 12x18 feet with 4-ft. wall, 10-oz. duck	\$24.00
Size 12x18 feet with 4-ft. wall, 12-oz. duck	\$28.00
Size 14x20 feet with 4-ft. wall, 12-oz. duck	\$40.00

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Wagon Paints.	Pints, 35c.
Quart Sizes, 75c.	Half Pints, 20c.
Pint Sizes, 45c.	Coach Paints.
Shingle Stains.	Reliable Coach Paints.
5 Gallon Cans, \$7.00.	Quarts, 90c.
1 Gallon Cans, \$1.50.	Pints, 60c.
Barn and Bridge Paints.	Half Pints, 35c.
5 Gallon Cans, \$7.00.	
1 Gallon Cans, \$1.50.	

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BANNERMAN GOVERNMENT FOR IRELAND ASSURE OF HOME

Irish Council Will Cation, Agricultural and Local Governmentments—No Power to The Constitution of

By Associated Press.

LONDON, May 7.—Signed to meet demand home rule was introduced in the House of Commons today in the presence of Chief Secretary for Ireland, Mr. Balfour, who crowded every chamber. The bill of establishment and administrative council with headquarters at Dublin. The Irish Secretary confidence kept their own the result that political scheme which is likely longed controversy.

The main features for to bestow some rule upon Ireland and matters are hopeful if bring better government, are as follows:—

Irish Secretary today in the presence of "Irish Council Bill," a bill of a council of administrative affairs. At the outset Mr. Balfour stated that the object of the bill is to give the Irish people as a whole with the Irish people. It is not of new legislative power to authorize the local tax or rate. Department control of the council would be the ment board, Department, congested districts, commissioners for public educational education, the reformatories, schools, and the supreme court judge, Irish Constabulary, Irish Constabulary, Lan police, Land prisons board would control of the Imp

A representative council consisting of nominated members of the House of Commons. The latter for the first year thereafter by the land. The elected on the local franchise. The Lord-Lieutenant of Ireland member of the would have complete control of the department. The exercise of departments will be solutions of county of Imperial guarded by power Lieutenant of Ireland consent to any rule.

A new education primary and secondary be established under the control of the council would years. For financial departments would annual sum, ment every five years to the consolidation into a separate Irish fund to amount \$20,000,000 a year. The religious departments would be removed from Lieutenant of Ireland would have the remove officers' ements above mentioned. In conclusion said that if the success it might home rule.

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DEERING, Harris, a neighborly shot at Hayden Pearson, was lynched forty unmasked of Harris' family ordered to leave