

THE BUSY STORES. **WHISKAR'S** 228, 230 DUNDAS STREET.

Our Millinery Department

is a very lively place just now. We have a splendid assortment of all kinds of Hats, trimmed and untrimmed, for ladies, misses and children, and our prices are such as will tempt you to buy.

- Ladies' Trimmed Ready-to-Wear Hats, in cream, tulle, navy and brown, regular \$1.75, each, for\$1.10
- Ladies' Trimmed Ready-to-Wear Hats, in black, white and brown, regular \$1.00, for each97c
- Special line Ladies' Fine Trimmed Hats to clear at each\$2.50
- Children's Sailor Hats, in red and white, brown and white, blue and white, regular \$3c, for each25c
- Children's Fine Straw Sailor Hats, white satin ribbon, regular \$1.00, our price, each69c

True Economy of Muslin Underwear.

Does not mean that you should sew and mend. It means that you give careful attention to this underwear offering of well-made and prettily-trimmed goods, with the price more than right for shrewd bargain buyers.

- Special line of Ladies' White Cambric Nightgowns, nicely trimmed, embroidered and lace hemstitched, open work and tucked, beautiful goods, worth \$1.00 and \$1.25. Sale price each75c
- Ladies' Fine Cambric Underskirts, two large deep embroidered flounces, regular \$1.00. Sale price75c
- Five dozen only White Cambric Drawers, drawn throat, hemstitched and tucked, two sizes only 25 and 27 inch. This lot goes at 25c pair. Secure some of these bargains, the opportunity is yours now.

Hosiery Department.

- Special line of Ladies' Black Lisle Hose, open lace pattern, worth 50c pair, for only35c
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- Ladies' Plain Lisle Hose, regular 50c pair, only, pair25c

STEAD ON SOUTH AFRICA

Prophesies That It Will Become Great and Prosperous.

London, May 28. — Mr. W. T. Stead has returned from South Africa, and he is enthusiastic about the country. He was surprised and delighted at the richness and beauty of the scenery, and the possibilities of future comfort and prosperity for the people which he observed. It will be something more than a mere gold mining camp when the Boers are in the country, and the society and government have become settled. Mr. Stead was probably no lover of South Africa when he arrived, but his experience of the country has made him regard it very highly as a field for British settlers. But before we can have peace and prosperity in the Transvaal, we must redeem the promises of payment made by our officers. There are millions still due to the Boers as compensation for goods taken for which receipts were given by our soldiers. The promises to pay signed and countersigned by the Boers, and ordered before the Boers can be expected to be truthful and friendly as fellow-citizens of the Empire should. The present attitude of the Boer leaders is irreproachable, but they are waiting in expectation of our officers' receipts and the payment of the money. Mr. Stead declared a British officer's receipt as good as a Bank of England note. Mr. Stead, as might be expected, has no faith in Chinese labor being a success. Outside immigration is what he wants. It is a passing craze which the magazines will rue. On the whole, Mr. Stead is hopeful for the future. South Africa will be great and prosperous when we have set up a responsible and representative government in the Transvaal, and when we have paid our debts to those who have been despoiled by the war.

DOCTOR HAS THE PROOF.

That Dodd's Kidney Pills Are a Sure Cure for Urinary Complaints.

St. Mary's Ferry, York County, N. B., May 16.—(Special.)—Some years ago I began to suffer from pain in the back accompanied by a lethargy impossible to overcome," says Mr. Thos. Harrison, of this place, in an interview. "I was attended by a physician, but continued to grow worse and started to pass bloody urine. "On the advice of a friend I started to use Dodd's Kidney Pills and by the time I had taken one box I passed a stone that is now in the doctor's possession. Three boxes cured me completely. "Dodd's Kidney Pills cure the Kidneys, and with sound kidneys you need never have urinary complaints. "The Government of Holland has introduced a bill to reduce drunkenness. Persons under 18 are prohibited from entering a public house unless accompanied by an adult. "Lever's Y-Z (Wise Head) Disinfectant Soap Powder dusted in the bath, softens the water and disinfects. "The Russian Government has elaborated statutes on general insurance by the state. The business is to be entrusted to the Government savings banks. All kinds of policies will be issued, and the insured will participate in the profits of the business. "KNOWN TO THOUSANDS.—Purmer's Vegetable Pills regulate the action of the stomach, purify the blood and keep the stomach and bowels free from deleterious matter. Taken according to directions they will overcome dyspepsia, eradicate biliousness, and leave the digestive organs healthy and strong to perform their functions. Their merits are well known to thousands, who know by experience how beneficial they are in giving tone to the system.

POLITICAL DRAMA IN OLD COUNTRY

Chamberlain to Let Liberals Have an Inning.

GOSSIP OF THE METROPOLIS

Connection of Clergymen With Liquor Traffic Causes Surprise in English Temperance Circles.

London, May 28. — Last week was essentially a political week. The big debates on the licensing bill in the House of Commons, the speech of Mr. Chamberlain at Birmingham, and the great gathering of the National Liberal Federation at Manchester, and the speeches last night on the platform of the Free Trade Hall, of Mr. John Morley and Mr. Winston Churchill, have given the politicians more than enough to digest. There is little doubt that the speeches have done much to hurry on a big change in the political situation, and to shape the policy of the contending parties. Mr. Chamberlain's big speech, the first since his return from Egypt, has abundantly fulfilled the hopes of his supporters. He is game as ever, and as confident of the ultimate success of his policy. He is not dismayed by the reversal of the tide, and he is not prepared to surrender or compromise. Protectionists and free traders alike are grateful for his plain speaking, now given by the man in the street, not perplexed by himself by distinguishing between any halfway houses, and the ultimate goal which Mr. Chamberlain is leading to. The Prime Minister may go on feeling, but Mr. Chamberlain is a "whole hogger," and the complete reversal of the present system and colonial preferences and protection for the British Empire is his policy. Mr. Chamberlain has captured the majority of the Unionist party, and he is content to let the Opposition, with a reasonable time, have a short and glorious innings, during which he hopes to capture the majority in the country. If the Liberals have a small majority, say early next year, they will, as Mr. Chamberlain believes, be at the mercy of the Irish on the one hand and the Nonconformists on the other. Then, when Mr. Chamberlain has forced a dissolution he and his protection policy will come to the fore. Meantime, he appeals to Imperialists like Lord Rosebery and the Duke of Devonshire, and to the workmen, in whose interests he claims to be working, to strive for a self-contained Empire, and a fiscal system which will bring Brothers together. The majority of 157 for the second reading of the licensing bill on Wednesday night was a nasty blow to the temperance people of the country, who are expected to agitate against it with the same vehemence as the Nonconformists opposed the bill. If the Prime Minister really means temperance reform he will agree to some compromise, and he has rumored Mr. Chamberlain will intervene at the right moment to bring about a modus vivendi. Neither Mr. Chamberlain nor his son has voted for the second reading, and Mr. Chamberlain, it is suspected, has a proposal which may satisfy the reasonable members of the temperance party. The liquor trade alibi. Many who voted for the second reading are prepared to be critical enough, and they are not the public outside during the next week after a strong protest against the bill, and it is likely enough that any time limit, it is likely enough that the bill, and then if the bill is so mutilated as to be no longer acceptable to the trade, the chances are that Mr. Balfour, taking Mr. Chamberlain's hint that the general election should not be unreasonably delayed, may go to the country. If temperance people are alive to the situation this licensing bill may yet bring about a general election, and only a tribunal which should decide so momentous an issue.

Silk Department.

White Fancy Cord Wash Silk. Three patterns, special, yard 35c each, for19c

Linen Department.

White Damask Linen Sideboard Scarfs, 18x72, worth 35c, for25c

Remember our Flower Sale. We are selling large bunches of Purple Lilies and Foliage, worth 25c, for bunch5c

Big sale of Satin Black Back Velvet Ribbons in wide and narrow widths.

Big sale of Fancy and Black Tortoise Shell Hairpins, a card of one dozen, for5c

Remember our big sale of Cashmere Hosiery in plain and ribbed, in ladies' and children's.

Have you seen our large size Wrist Bags, long chain, worth 25c in our east window. We are selling for, each25c

HERE COMES THE SAW FLY

Strawberry Vines Its Prey, and It Works Rapidly.

Egg Harbor City, N. J., May 28. — A new insect in this section, called the saw fly, has made its appearance in great numbers and is threatening to destroy the strawberry crop here and at Pomona. The insect, which resembles an ordinary fly, has a bill with which it attacks the stems of the strawberries, severing them from the plant. The farmers are at a loss to find means for fighting and destroying the new insect.

A large field here was destroyed in a few days. The state will be asked to co-operate in seeking a remedy against the new destroyer.

How It Spreads.

The first package of Hem-Roll (the infallible Pile cure) that was put out for sale to a small town in the State of Nebraska.

It made the cure of a case of Piles at once, and was sold for \$1.00. There is a month's treatment in each box. Sold for \$1.00 with absolute guarantee.

It is for sale by druggists.

RENOUCE THE WORLD

Two Descendants of Ponce de Leon Enter on Religious Lives.

Albany, May 28. — Miss Josephine Ponce de Leon, a lineal descendant of the discoverer of Florida, has renounced the world and taken preliminary steps to enter the life of a recluse as a member of the community of St. Dominic. The ceremony was performed in the Dominican convent in this city. Miss Ponce de Leon is 21 years old, gifted, refined and fascinating, possessing the beauty of the dark Spanish type. She has a brother who is a member of the Order of Servites of Mary, and now in a convent at Delta, Col. His name is Brother Bernard, of St. Mary. As he has taken a perpetual vow of celibacy, the celebrated name of Ponce de Leon will die with him.

LOST SINCE 1859

Search for Survivors of Wrecked U. S. Warship Begins.

Honolulu, May 28.—The United States cruiser Tacoma left on May 26 on a remarkable voyage in quest of possible survivors of the United States ship of war Levant, which sailed from Hilo in 1859, and was never heard of afterward. The only ground for hope of rescuing survivors lies in the chances that the Levant was wrecked, discovered a year before the wreck, but undiscovered since. This island is in the heart of the north Pacific, 136° west. Degraeves found it about a mile and a half long and half a mile wide. Degraeves tried vainly to get capital-ists to advance money to explore the island for guano deposits. Two years ago, Captain Lawless, of the Oceanic Steamship Company, reported that he sighted an island which he believed was Degraeves' Island. This report induced the Navy Department to send out an expedition. Degraeves, who is now a leper at Molokai, was seen, and gave an account of the island. Haze learned that a spar of the Levant came ashore on the south coast of Hawaii. This indicated that the vessel was wrecked, not foundered, and showed the possibility of survivors. He also figured out that the course of the Levant would bring her in the vicinity of the island.



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Summary

FLYING MACHINE FLEW

Successful Test Given Mechanism of the Wright Brothers.

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NEURALGIA OF THE HEART

AN AILMENT WHICH TERRIFIES ITS VICTIMS—INDICATED BY PAINS ABOUT THE HEART AND QUICK LOUD BREATHING—CURED BY

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THE WEATHER TODAY. Showers; partly fair.

Art Silks and Fringes.

For draping arches, mantels, pianos, screen fillings, etc. These are very handsome goods in the choicest oriental and floral patterns—goods that you'd think worth a great deal more than we ask.

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Fringes, in numerous pretty colors, at only, per yard, 5c, 10c, 15c and.....25c

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- Fine French Paillette Silks, new and beautiful, at only, per yard.....\$1.00
- Fine French Merveilleux Silks, remarkable value, at only, per yard.....75c
- Fine French Poplin Silks, worth more, but selling at only, per yard.....65c
- Fine Italian Louise Silks, excellent for service, per yard only.....75c
- Fine Check Louise Silks, in navy and white, and black and white, extra heavy and firm quality. Brand new goods at only, per yard.....85c
- Black and White Check Taffeta, at only, per yard.....75c
- Linen Colored Silks, with coin spots, new and dainty, per yard only.....65c
- All-Linen Color Spot Silks, selling special at only, per yard.....65c

Specials in House-Furnishing Department.

Just received a very fine assortment of Scrim Goods for Dainty Cushion Tops, Embroidery or Fancy Shirtwaists. Extra good quality, in colors of cream, white and ecru—48 inches wide.

A large lot of Fine Lace Curtain Nets, with double and single borders, button-hole edge, in dainty floral, bow-knot and fleur-de-lis designs, extra fine mesh. Rare value at these prices, per yard.....25c, 35c, 40c, 65c and \$1.10

Curtain Poles and Extension Rods, in white enamel and brass, with large and small fancy knob trimmings, all fixtures attached. Splendid value at from.....75c to 80c

Fancy Loops for Draping Curtains, made of heavy brass, in large lion head designs, something very new and up-to-date, gives an artistic effect to arch and door draping. Each from.....40c to \$1.50

New Curtain Stretchers, stationary or adjustable pins, clamps, hinges, rods, easel, etc., folding style, takes up very little room when not in use. Each.....\$1.75 and \$2.00

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS.

MARRIED.
WAY—GRANDED. Rev. A. W. Ross, of the First Methodist Church, on Wednesday, May 25, 1904, at the residence of John A. Percy, cousin of the bride, 1412 Broadway, Alameda, Canada, Mr. Thomas N. Way, of Chapman, Ontario, to Miss Augusta Grange, of 424 King street, London, Ont., Canada.

DIED.
MASON—Passed away, on Sunday morning, May 29, 1904, at the residence of his son-in-law, Mr. Elwood Robinson, 656 Waterloo street, Mr. Thomas Mason, of Hamilton, in his 55th year.
Funeral private.

GROVES—On Sunday, May 29, 1904, at the family residence, 28 Hope street, Annie Groves, in her 70th year.
Funeral on Tuesday at 2 o'clock; service, 2:30. Friends kindly accept this intimation.

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GRAND—WEDNESDAY NEXT.
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Presents the Famous Comedy Success,
Are You a Mason?
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Male quartet, consisting of Messrs. L. J. and Miss L. J. White, in K. of P. Hall, Dufferin block, Wednesday evening, June 1. Tickets, 10c.

65 PUPILS ATTENDED LONDON CONSERVATORY Music last year. Mr. Barron hears all pupils play, and gives reports.

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Fielding's Reply to Borden.

A year ago the idea of building another railroad from ocean to ocean was scouted by the Conservative party and the Grand Trunk Pacific project denounced as a commercial impossibility which would shipwreck the national finances. It was claimed that not a bushel of grain could be hauled from the prairies to the Atlantic seaboard over such a road. Today the same party is pledged by its leaders to the construction of a transcontinental railway 200 miles longer than the Grand Trunk Pacific. In his speech in reply to Mr. Borden the Finance Minister, Mr. Fielding, pointed out that last session nearly every member of the Opposition, including its railway expert, Hon. John Haggart, voted against Mr. Puttee's amendment in favor of government ownership. He was able to quote also from the speech of Sir John Macdonald and Sir Charles Tupper, condemning the policy which Mr. Borden has adopted in a spirit of reckless opportunism against the declared convictions of the majority of his own party.

Mr. Fielding made public for the first time the details of the original proposition of the Grand Trunk Pacific promoters for a line to the Pacific coast beginning at North Bay. They asked for a cash subsidy of \$6,400 per mile and a land subsidy of 5,000 acres per mile, the lands to be free from taxation for 20 years, and rails and all materials to be admitted free of duty. The subsidy for 2,492 miles from North Bay to the Pacific coast at \$6,400 per mile would be \$15,948,800, and estimating the land at \$3 an acre, the land subsidy would be worth \$7,356,000, or a total subsidy, land and cash, of \$23,304,800. This enormous sum was asked not for a transcontinental line, but for only a section, leaving a gap of 1,000 miles to the Atlantic. But under the present contract the country will get a transcontinental line for a sum which Mr. Fielding estimated at less than \$14,000,000. He produced a letter from Mr. Collingwood Schreiber, Deputy Minister of Railways, estimating that a route from Moncton to Quebec, extending from the Atlantic to the Pacific, which meet in the leafy month of June. This is the great week of the year to the ministers, and to many laymen also. It is the chief, and to many, the only outing of the year, and pleasant indeed must be the meetings and greetings of old comrades, friends and toilers, in their diverse fields of labor. It is a proof of fidelity to the service of religion that busy laymen leave their homes, office or farm, and devote several days to the politics of the kingdom of heaven and to the advancing of God's work in the world.

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A Marvelous Battle.

Mr. Bloch, whose work inspired the czar to summon the Hague conference, laid it down as a military axiom that the attacking party must outnumber the defense to one in an assault upon a fortified and entrenched position. The Japanese at Kinchow and Nan Shan Hill achieved what had come to be accepted as impossible. If they outnumbered the Russians, it was in the proportion of not more than two to one. The Russian position was in theory impregnable. The heights at Kin Chou dominate the Liao Tung Peninsula from sea to sea. They were well fortified, the works being of an almost permanent character. The Russians fought in the concealment and protection of covered trenches, and the ground in front of them was sown with mines and wire entanglements. The Russians had nearly one hundred guns including machine guns. Against these fearful odds the Japanese charged upon the central Russian position, Nan Shan Hill, and the dispatches tell us that every man in the

first attack was shot down. Nine times the Russians succeeded in repulsing the enemy. The tenth attack was made under cover of a furious bombardment, the fire of every Japanese gun on land and water being directed toward the crest of the hill. The co-operation of the Japanese squadron in Kin Chou Bay is reported to have been a decisive factor by weakening the Russian left flank and making a breach for the Japanese infantry in the tenth and final assault. The capture by the victors of 68 guns and 10 machine guns is one of the heaviest blows that has yet fallen upon Russian arms. The loss of these guns must greatly weaken Port Arthur, and increase the offensive strength of the besiegers. Had the Russians saved their guns they might have fallen back upon their second line of defense without the appearance of utter defeat.

The Japanese have again shown that combination of reckless, almost frenzied, bravery, and cool, calculating strategy, which has excited the wonder of the world. Something of this victory is owing to the death-defying heroism of the common soldier and something to the generalship, which has shown itself superior to that of the enemy in every encounter on land and sea. The taking of Nan Shan Hill will stand out among the greatest achievements in the history of war. Just as Napoleon broke up the military traditions of his age, so the Japanese have run athwart the received opinions of today by carrying a fortified position, held by modern rifles and guns, in a frontal attack and in close formation.

The Conference.

The London Conference convenes in this city this week. The stationing committee (composed of the chairmen of districts and one representative from each district), meets this afternoon to prepare the first draft prior to the full meeting of ministers and laymen on Thursday morning. There are eleven men leave the London Conference eleven districts, extending to Kinchard on the north, to Listowel and Stratford on the east, to St. Thomas on the south, and west to Windsor and Sarnia, including about 260 ministers, 50 of whom are on the supernumerary list.

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The writer of that paragraph is guilty of criminal falsehood against his country.

LOVE SONNETS OF A LAWYER.
[Milwaukee Sentinel.]

Whereas, you crossed my path some time ago,
To wit: May sixteenth, A. D. nineteen four,
And I, for diverse reasons, do adore
Your sunny face and form; yes, I, John Doe,
Whereupon with me worships so
That he will never draw one free breath more,
Until you take away the heartache sore.
And cause said heartache from his breast
To flow.
Now, therefore, this deponent humbly prays
That you will grant him the aforesaid boon;
Prays, also, for the court to grant no stays.
For an informal wedding—say, in June,
And for such other judgment and relief
As is not clearly outlined in this brief.

II.
Plaintiff alleges that one year ago,
To wit: June fifteenth, A. D. nineteen four,
She married the defendant, who then swore
To cherish and protect his Mrs. Doe;
Alas, defendant didn't, though!
But in a back room at the corner store
Played draw, and lost his deuces by the score.
Plaintiff alleges more, and says it's so,
Whereupon this plaintiff prays for a decree
Severing the bonds of matrimony now,
And for such alimony, costs and fees,
As to the court seem proper to allow;
And for whatever judgment and relief
The court deems right to satisfy her grief.

COLLAPSE OF MEMORY.
[Pittsburg Dispatch.]

Winston Churchill's recent break-brace in a speech in Parliament recalls to the English press a similar lapse of memory on the part of a member named Shell, in the House of Commons. Shell was commencing a carefully prepared sentence with the word "Necessity," when his memory deserted him. He repeated "Necessity" three times, and then Sir Robert Peel mischievously added: "Is not always the mother of invention."

SOON, AH SOON!
[Puck.]

And soon from college comes the girl,
Four precious years of youth spent there,
In busy study, deer research,
Yield six new ways to sit her hair.

ALAS, 'TIS TRUE.
[Philadelphia Bulletin.]

Mrs. Liverand—Going to leave today? Why, you only came here yesterday.
The Cook—Yes, ma'am, such is life. We're here today and gone tomorrow.

GOOD CUSTOMERS.
[Buffalo News.]

The more we see of our Canadian neighbors the better we like them and wish they would come oftener to visit us.

WANTED TO HEAR DEPEW.
[Boston News Bureau.]

Senator Depew found among his mail the other morning a letter marked "Personal." It was as follows: "Dear and Most Honored Sir,—I have read of your after dinner speeches. It has never been by good fortune to listen to your eloquence, but I have delighted myself and friends by publishing reports of your utterances. So much have they impressed me that I have one great wish. It is to listen to the speech you—Senator Depew—here reached the end of the first page of the letter, and turning over to the next page read: 'would deliver after a dinner in your railway restaurant at Poughkeepsie.'"
Chauncey received this letter on April 1.

SASSULITCH'S NAMESAKE.
[London Chronicle.]

Gen. Sassulitch, who was severely wounded the other day at the battle on the Yalu, bears the name, and may even be a relative of, a woman who once was a tragic figure in a Nihilist trial at St. Petersburg, and was described at the time as the "Charlotte Corday" of Russia. This was Vera Sassulitch, who had walked a long way from the Harbin coast to shoot Gen. Treppoff, chief of the police, for beating a prisoner with rods. Vera Sassulitch achieved her purpose, and suffered the penalty of her crime—ten of her fellow-prisoners being sentenced to death. This was in the first year of the reign of Alexander III., who had been exasperated by the Nihilist crimes, which included the assassination of his own father.

WHY NOT?
[New York Sun.]

Millionaire—What are you doing hanging around here?
Weary Willie—I'm a sociologist investigating the homes of the wealthy.

KILLED FATHER'S MURDERER

Boy of Sixteen Takes the Law Into His Own Hands.

Dallas, Texas, May 30.—Four months ago, tonight at Wilmer, twelve miles south of Dallas, Ose Tyree, without apparent cause, shot Houston Weaver dead in front of the village postoffice. The darkness prevented witnesses from seeing clearly, and a month ago Tyree was released on \$5,000 bail after habeas corpus proceedings. Weaver was a prominent farmer and member of the Dallas County Democratic executive committee, and his assassination created the greatest excitement throughout the county. Today his death was avenged by his 16-year-old son, Richard Weaver, who met Tyree in Wilmer, and shot him to death on sight. The boy then walked to Lancaster and surrendered to the constable, and he was brought to Dallas last tonight.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

May 28-29.—At Father Point—Manchester Corporation, from Manchester; Huronia, from Middleborough; Malou, from Liverpool.

At New York—La Touraine, from Havre; Sicilia, from Naples; Molke, from Hamburg; Haverford, from Liverpool; Germania, from Southampton.

At Liverpool—Camilla, from New York; Cyrric, from Boston; Georgiac, from New York.

At Avonmouth—Englishman, from Montreal.

At London—Philadelphia, from Boston; New York—Friedrich der Grosse, from New York.

At Glasgow—Sarmatian, from New York.

At Boston—Cretic, from Liverpool; Austrian, from Glasgow.

At Genoa—Nord America, from New York; Prinz Adalbert, from New York; At Southampton—Philadelphia, from New York.



Corsets
SO LIKE CHICAGO
Robbers Hold Up Clerks and Customers in Big Retail Store.
Chicago, May 30.—One of the boldest and quickest robberies Chicago has known in years was committed Saturday night in less than a minute at the shoe store of Frazin & Oppenheim, 155 Madison street, one square from the city hall and the central police station. There were fourteen customers in the store and six clerks, who were attending to their wants, when four men entered the place in succession, each about five feet behind the man in front of him. One of the clerks started forward to meet the supposed customers, when three of the men drew revolvers, each robber having two weapons, and the fourth man took the cash from the register, \$281, and then the four robbers ran out in Madison street and disappeared. The store is slightly below the street level, but while the robbery was in progress the doors were open, and people passing along the sidewalk saw a plain view of the inside of the store. The robbery was carried out so quickly, however, that there was no possibility of interference, and the men escaped.

ATLAS CONTRIBUTORS.

Toronto, May 30.—The following additional list of contributors of the Atlas Loan Company has been prepared by the liquidator and submitted to the master-in-ordinary: Geo. Geddes, St. Thomas, 6 shares, \$400; N. Marple, St. Thomas, 40 shares, \$2,800; Maggie Campbell, Mapleton, 6½ shares, \$453.75; C. S. Vogt, Toronto, 6 shares, \$650; Alex. Beaton, West Lorne, 10 shares, \$1,000; A. McCrimmon, St. Thomas, 250 shares, \$25,000; Flora McGregor, St. Thomas, 1½ shares, \$150; Sarah J. Osterlander, St. Thomas, 21 shares, \$150; John Noble, St. Thomas, 14 shares, \$112; A. C. Miller, Detroit, 23½ shares, \$227.50; Wm. C. Griffin, Detroit, 24 shares, \$2,400; List B: James A. Graham, Detroit, 200 shares, \$17,000; Miss Kate Going, St. Thomas, 15 shares, \$800; Mrs. M. Humphries, Des Moines, Iowa, 100 shares, \$3,200; Joseph Voaden, Mount Forest, 10 shares, \$900; Jessie Fraser (administratrix, J. Fraser), Medicine Hat, 40 shares, \$3,200. Parties wishing to contest their liability will be heard by the master on the 22nd of June.

W. B. REID ASSIGNMENT.

Toronto, May 30.—At a meeting held on Saturday of the creditors of W. B. Reid & Co., wholesale tobacconists, who failed recently, Mr. Reid made an offer of an immediate cash settlement at 25 cents on the dollar, which was accepted, and the creditors will grant a discharge on the basis. The previous offer, which was rejected, was 25 cents on the dollar, with time allowed for payment.

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MONTREALERS FOR UNION.
Montreal, May 29.—At a largely-attended meeting of representatives of the Methodist, Congregational and Presbyterian Churches in Montreal, the following resolution, indorsing the union of these bodies, was adopted: "It is expedient and desirable that the Methodist, Presbyterian and Congregational denominations be united into one organic body and the authorities of these be instructed to proceed with the negotiation, so happily begun, in the hope that a satisfactory basis of union may be formed."
A DASTARDLY DEED.
Ottawa, May 30.—A deliberate attempt to destroy the house of Mrs. Thornley, of Janeville, a suburb of Ottawa, was frustrated early yesterday morning by the prompt action of neighbors. Some one threw a blazing rag soaked with kerosene through her bedroom window, the blazing mass falling near her bed. The smoke aroused her and the neighbors were alarmed, and succeeded in saving the home. Domestic infelicity is said to be back of the dastardly deed.

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LONDON AND DISTRICT

—Mr. D. Gauld, of Belvidere, Ill., is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Charles Mortin, of Wortley road.

—Mr. John Hallam, who left London about four months ago for England, has returned home.

—The London and Western Trusts Company is applying for letters of administration in the estate of the late John Hewing, of London Township.

—Mr. J. Chesley desires to thank the employees of the McChary's Manufacturing Company for the very kind assistance rendered him after his long illness.

—At New Hamburg on Friday Miss Kate Mayer, second daughter of Mr. John Mayer, proprietor of the Albion Hotel, Wellesley, was married to Mr. John Austin, of London.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Wachtler. The bride was beautifully attired, was attended by her sister, Miss Josephine Mayer and Mr. W. Buckel, of Toronto, supported by her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Austin will reside in Galt.

—Sunday's Buffalo Courier contained an announcement of the wedding of Miss Marion Hutchinson, daughter of Dr. Hutchinson, this city, to Mr. John R. Mackay, who is in the office of the American Express Company in Buffalo. The ceremony was solemnized by Rev. John Crawford, of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Niagara Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Mackay have taken up their residence at No. 28 West avenue, Buffalo.

O. S. OLD BOYS.

There are a number of former residents of Owen Sound now living in London, and some of them are in favor of forming an old boys association. Action may be taken this week.

RAND CONCERT.

The band concert which was postponed on Thursday night is announced for this night in Victoria Park. The gate collections are to be devoted to the soldiers' monument fund.

ELKS TO BE HERE.

The Hamilton lodge of Elks will visit this city tonight, for which purpose they have engaged a private car. Among the visitors to the London Elks will be Mr. W. H. Wardrop, K.C., the G. E. R., who is one of a committee to go to Cincinnati to the supreme lodge in July to assist in affiliation with the American Elks.

RUNAWAY ACCIDENT.

On Friday night Ald. Greer, Mrs. Greer and family were driving in a Surrey in South London, when the horse, which was driven by the Alderman from his seat, Mr. Greer struck on his head in the road, he held on to the reins, causing the horse to swing around abruptly and upset the vehicle, throwing Mrs. Greer and the children into the roadway. The horse got away, but was caught at the market, the Surrey being badly smashed. Mrs. Greer was badly shaken up and suffered several severe bruises, and Mrs. Greer sustained an abrasion of the forehead. Otherwise the party escaped uninjured.

PREPARING FOR PICNIC.

President Dan Ferguson occupied the chair at a largely attended meeting of the travelers of Western Ontario, held in the club rooms, Masonic Temple, on Saturday afternoon. Committees were appointed to carry out worthy suggestions in regard to the picnic and reports from these committees will be received at a meeting to be held next Saturday. From present indications, it looks as though the travelers' picnic of this year will surpass last year's from all standpoints. As has already been announced the picnic this year will be held on July 30. Among those present at Saturday's meeting were: Messrs. E. I. Sifton, secretary, H. E. Dutton, George Sippl, Fred Fisher, C. W. McGuire, Wm. Watson, J. J. Harkness, D. McPherson, S. M. Scott, J. L. Johnson, George Dettler, A. Gunther, A. H. Moran, M. Brown, A. Edwards, R. D. Kilgour, E. Greenfield, J. G. Couse, J. W. Martin, W. Wright, Jos. Leech, Geo. W. Heard.

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GEN. MCNEIL DEAD.

London, May 29. — Major-General Sir John Carruthers McNeil, V. C., G. C. V. O., who was military secretary to Lord Lisgar in Canada and served on the staff of Lord Wolseley during the Red River expedition, is dead at Flag Court, St. James Palace. He was aged 72, and saw much service in the Indian mutiny, Egypt, and the Sudan. He was appointed Bath King of Arms in 1898.

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BELTZ.

McMartin, H. Henderson, W. R. Keyes, T. H. Seagr, J. R. McPherson, J. J. Dyer, S. P. Gier, R. C. Palmer, W. D. Wright, J. R. Sproule, B. S. Murray, John Friend and many others.

The popularity of "Red Feather" in London was again attested to Saturday evening, when one of the largest audiences of the season of the Grand, and applauded the production unstintingly.

Of course "Red Feather" since its last appearance has been greatly weakened in its comedy roles, but this fact did not appear to be patent to the majority of the audience, who took for granted that every thing in connection with the production is good and treated it liberally as such.

Miss Van Studdiford, as usual, was the central attraction, and her beautiful voice, sweet, full and cultivated, charmed her hearers. Every one of her numbers was rewarded with several encores, and well she deserved them all.

Coming next to Miss Van Studdiford in the estimation of Londoners, was Miss Cora Tracy, the brilliant London young lady, with the beautiful contralto voice. Ever since her last appearance here, Miss Tracy appears to have improved and her voice seemed purer and sweeter than when she first appeared here. She was well received, and she was rewarded with liberal applause. The other soloists were the same as when they sang here a month ago, and all acquitted themselves creditably.

In the comedy roles there was a great change, however. James T. Sullivan having left the company, his place was taken by W. J. McCarthy, who was here previously, and the latter part was taken by Myron Davis. Both changes were for the worse. This time the company used all their own scenery, instead of drawing upon stage stuff as before, and the effect was especially noticeable in the scenes as secured from the matinee audience was only fair Saturday.

Valuable Silver Goods.

The best Canadian wheat cereal—Orange Meat—is a nutritious and tasty food. "I not only use it myself, but advise my convalescent patients to use it," says G. M. Stratton, M.D., of Nanaimo, Ont. Every leading grocery store shows samples of heavy silver-plated tableware given free for coupons enclosed in a large envelope. A splendid lot of ten and dessert services in sets of six and three, respectively, a beautiful pattern in a sugar shell, and a handsome new design—butter-knives, all of very fine silver-plated without stamp or advertisement, are among the premiums which may be secured along with this excellent Canadian food.

40,000 SINCE JAN. 1.

Montreal, May 29. — The Herald publishes a statement from official sources of the immigration into Canada by nationalities since Jan. 1. The figures are startling. They show that figures are starting. They show that migration this year is English. In that figure is included the Scotch and Irish, but both are stated to be so small this year as to be almost negligible. A considerable portion of the English immigrants consist of very poor farmers who bring not only a knowledge of business, but money, and appliances. There is, also, however, a large proportion of Cockneys, who will have much to go through before they become of great value to the country. Figures, as secured from English, 24,000; Galicians, 8,000; Scandinavians, 2,300; Italians, 1,100; Russians, 1,000; Germans, 3,500. Total, 39,800.

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ITALIAN LABORER

SERIOUSLY HURT

Gun Accidentally Discharged
While He Was Shooting
in the Woods.

Michael Brazello, an Italian, who has been employed as a navvy on the double tracking east of the city, on the Grand Trunk Railway, went shooting in the woods Sunday with several companions, when the gun he carried was accidentally discharged, inflicting a terrible wound in Brazello's hip. Had it been a pistol, the result would have been fatal.

AN ART SENSATION

Record Price of \$13,750 For a Holbein Miniature.

London, May 29. — The art sensation of the season has been the Messrs. Duveen's purchase at Christie's, of Hans Holbein's miniature of Frances Howard, Duchess of Norfolk, for the record sum of £2,750 (\$13,750). This rare little work of art, something over an inch across, is an exquisitely finished portrait of a woman not beautiful, but as it is, the Duchess of Norfolk, is a stranger here, rested well last night, and his condition this morning is still favorable to recovery. He is a man about 40 years of age.

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ON TREATY MAKING.

London, May 29. — Thomas Hodgkin, writing on Canada and the treaty-making power in the Saturday Review, says that the East India Company by virtue of their royal charter enjoyed independent treaty-making power, also the former American province of the colonies, the Fisheries treaty of 1783 negotiated by Chamberlain, the French treaty of 1823, negotiated by Lord Dufferin and Sir Charles Tupper, provided for prior sanction of Canada before ratification by the home Government.

SMILELESS SEVEN YEARS

Banker Paulson Admits It and Won't Contest Wife's Divorce.

Chicago, May 30.—Mrs. W. A. Paulson, wife of an ex-banker, says in her petition for divorce that her husband hasn't smiled in seven years. Paulson was convicted of receiving moneys when he knew his bank was insolvent, and served a short sentence in the penitentiary. In answer to his wife he says:

"She has justly complained that she has not seen me smile for many years. I have found it difficult to simulate happiness with the penitentiary staring me in the face for seven years, and all the time only waiting for the next term of court, in the constant fear of becoming convicted again. I am a bankrupt, and there is little hope for my future. She is right. I have not seen the light, and I shall not read it, nor oppose her."

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THE McMASTER EVANGELIST BAND COMMENCES SERIES OF MEETINGS

Addresses Large Congregations in City Churches—Notes From Local Edifices.

The first Sunday in the period selected by the McMaster Evangelist Band for its series of meetings was a successful reception and distinct revivalistic results. The church services conducted by them were largely attended, and to their appeals very many responded. Two services were held at the Talbot Street Baptist Church, and in the afternoon, and one in the evening, the latter drawing such large crowds that hundreds were turned away. In the morning the first Methodist Church, the pastor, Rev. George J. Bishop, first making the announcement.

The band, as has been mentioned, is composed of young men entirely from McMaster University. They are not theological students, and they showed considerable ability for their age in the short addresses made. The morning service was greatly strengthened by a prayer that was as beautiful in its language as it was earnest in its spirit.

One member of the band read a passage of Scripture. Another had the attention of all by a short address. A member of the band, who revealed much of God, but condemned men who made nature their God. The central idea of his remarks was that God could not be a nature god, but a God who spoke well, appealing to those who were not accepting the Truth. There was not a sin, he said, that the life of Jesus Christ was not a perfect example of the life of a young man, and there was a smile when he referred to the time when he was a young man. But he gave his personal experience in an impressive manner and made a fervent evangelistic appeal. The fifth and last service of the series was held at the Talbot Street Baptist Church, which was held at 2:15 p.m., when an open evangelistic service was conducted. At this, Mr. Counts made a special appeal for conversion, to which 30 people responded.

The same band singers also assisted at the other church services. The first service at the Talbot Street Baptist Church was held at 2:15 p.m., when an open evangelistic service was conducted. At this, Mr. Counts made a special appeal for conversion, to which 30 people responded.

It started seven minutes before the regular hour and the ushers had to refuse admission to hundreds. After brief addresses, the leaders of the band made another strong appeal and many signified their desire to lead a different life.

The revival is to be further aided by Prof. J. H. Farmer, of McMaster University, who, it is announced, will give Bible readings every afternoon, from 4 to 5 o'clock in the Auditorium.

Two members of the McMaster Evangelist Band conducted the services yesterday. Mr. Percy, in the morning, spoke on the blessing that is promised to those who fear the Lord, as shown in Malachi iii, 16, 17. Mr. D. McPhail, in the evening, made a strong appeal to the unconverted, especially to the young people, to give their lives to Jesus, basing his remarks on Christ's call to Zaccheus, the publican, Luke xix, 5. "Make haste and come down; for today I must abide at thy house."

Rev. W. G. Howson preached the annual sermon to the Lambeth brethren of the Order of United Workmen, at Lambeth yesterday. A large number of members of the order drove out from this city.

Rev. Mr. Knowles, of Crediton, will preach at Knox Church next Sunday evening.

Mr. John Bonhom, tenor soloist, of Ridgeway, sang at both services yesterday at the Dundas Center Methodist Church.

Rev. Professor Burgess preached yesterday at the Clarendon Anglican Church.

Rev. Mr. Laidlaw, a recent graduate, preached at New St. James' Presbyterian Church, the pastor, Rev. A. J. MacGillivray, conducting the anniversary services at St. Andrew's Church, at Guelph.

A convention of the Sunday school and lay workers of the Deanery of Middlesex will be held tomorrow afternoon and evening at Springfield, when some interesting addresses will be given.

Rev. A. K. Birks, of the Colborne Street Methodist Church, took last evening as his subject, "Music," an appropriate one, as the day marked the opening of the new pipe organ. The organ was much admired, and the services morning and evening were made the more interesting by the singing of the new organ.

Miss Margaret McCoy and Mrs. Robyn McKillop, Mr. Bert Weir, the organist, played the new organ yesterday.

Much credit to himself, the morning service was preached by Rev. C. T. Scott, of the Dundas Center Church. The evening sermon was a tribute to the power of music, which, Mr. Birks said, was recognized for ages. Its history antedated civilization, and this he traced in an interesting manner. He gave instances of the influence music had for good, and appealed for more congregational singing. In proportion as the new organ furthered this end he said it would be a benefit and a blessing to the people.

Given tonight by Mr. A. D. Jordan, Miss Reba Smith, of Detroit, Mrs. Robyn McKillop and Mr. Arthur Garthwaite will contribute to the programme.

Lambeth Lodge, No. 217, A. O. U. W., held its annual service yesterday afternoon and evening at the Talbot Street Baptist Church. There was a large attendance of the members, including a number of brethren from the city. Next Sunday Court Lambeth, No. 142, A. O. U. W., will attend service at the same time and place. Rev. Bro. W. A. Smith, of Lucknow, a member of the court, will conduct the service. It is expected there will be a large crowd in attendance.

The shot entered a couple of inches higher, it would have meant instant death, but as it is, the doctor hopes to save the Italian's life. Brazello, who is a stranger here, rested well last night, and his condition this morning is still favorable to recovery. He is a man about 40 years of age.

AN ART SENSATION

Record Price of \$13,750 For a Holbein Miniature.

London, May 29. — The art sensation of the season has been the Messrs. Duveen's purchase at Christie's, of Hans Holbein's miniature of Frances Howard, Duchess of Norfolk, for the record sum of £2,750 (\$13,750). This rare little work of art, something over an inch across, is an exquisitely finished portrait of a woman not beautiful, but as it is, the Duchess of Norfolk, is a stranger here, rested well last night, and his condition this morning is still favorable to recovery. He is a man about 40 years of age.

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ON TREATY MAKING.

London, May 29. — Thomas Hodgkin, writing on Canada and the treaty-making power in the Saturday Review, says that the East India Company by virtue of their royal charter enjoyed independent treaty-making power, also the former American province of the colonies, the Fisheries treaty of 1783 negotiated by Chamberlain, the French treaty of 1823, negotiated by Lord Dufferin and Sir Charles Tupper, provided for prior sanction of Canada before ratification by the home Government.

SMILELESS SEVEN YEARS

Banker Paulson Admits It and Won't Contest Wife's Divorce.

Chicago, May 30.—Mrs. W. A. Paulson, wife of an ex-banker, says in her petition for divorce that her husband hasn't smiled in seven years. Paulson was convicted of receiving moneys when he knew his bank was insolvent, and served a short sentence in the penitentiary. In answer to his wife he says:

"She has justly complained that she has not seen me smile for many years. I have found it difficult to simulate happiness with the penitentiary staring me in the face for seven years, and all the time only waiting for the next term of court, in the constant fear of becoming convicted again. I am a bankrupt, and there is little hope for my future. She is right. I have not seen the light, and I shall not read it, nor oppose her."

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THE McMASTER EVANGELIST BAND COMMENCES SERIES OF MEETINGS

Addresses Large Congregations in City Churches—Notes From Local Edifices.

The first Sunday in the period selected by the McMaster Evangelist Band for its series of meetings was a successful reception and distinct revivalistic results. The church services conducted by them were largely attended, and to their appeals very many responded. Two services were held at the Talbot Street Baptist Church, and in the afternoon, and one in the evening, the latter drawing such large crowds that hundreds were turned away. In the morning the first Methodist Church, the pastor, Rev. George J. Bishop, first making the announcement.

The band, as has been mentioned, is composed of young men entirely from McMaster University. They are not theological students, and they showed considerable ability for their age in the short addresses made. The morning service was greatly strengthened by a prayer that was as beautiful in its language as it was earnest in its spirit.

One member of the band read a passage of Scripture. Another had the attention of all by a short address. A member of the band, who revealed much of God, but condemned men who made nature their God. The central idea of his remarks was that God could not be a nature god, but a God who spoke well, appealing to those who were not accepting the Truth. There was not a sin, he said, that the life of Jesus Christ was not a perfect example of the life of a young man, and there was a smile when he referred to the time when he was a young man. But he gave his personal experience in an impressive manner and made a fervent evangelistic appeal. The fifth and last service of the series was held at the Talbot Street Baptist Church, which was held at 2:15 p.m., when an open evangelistic service was conducted. At this, Mr. Counts made a special appeal for conversion, to which 30 people responded.

The same band singers also assisted at the other church services. The first service at the Talbot Street Baptist Church was held at 2:15 p.m., when an open evangelistic service was conducted. At this, Mr. Counts made a special appeal for conversion, to which 30 people responded.

It started seven minutes before the regular hour and the ushers had to refuse admission to hundreds. After brief addresses, the leaders of the band made another strong appeal and many signified their desire to lead a different life.

The revival is to be further aided by Prof. J. H. Farmer, of McMaster University, who, it is announced, will give Bible readings every afternoon, from 4 to 5 o'clock in the Auditorium.

Two members of the McMaster Evangelist Band conducted the services yesterday. Mr. Percy, in the morning, spoke on the blessing that is promised to those who fear the Lord, as shown in Malachi iii, 16, 17. Mr. D. McPhail, in the evening, made a strong appeal to the unconverted, especially to the young people, to give their lives to Jesus, basing his remarks on Christ's call to Zaccheus, the publican, Luke xix, 5. "Make haste and come down; for today I must abide at thy house."

Rev. W. G. Howson preached the annual sermon to the Lambeth brethren of the Order of United Workmen, at Lambeth yesterday. A large number of members of the order drove out from this city.

Rev. Mr. Knowles, of Crediton, will preach at Knox Church next Sunday evening.

Mr. John Bonhom, tenor solo