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OUR ANNUAL

Feb'y Whitewear Sale

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To-Morrow THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 2nd

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RUSSIAN LOSS 42,000

Incurred Between Jan. 25 to Jan. 29—Jap Loss Only 7,000.

Russians Admit a Loss of 42,000 and a Japan Report Says Their Enemies Left 1,200 Dead On One Field—Wounded Suffer Terribly, and the Front Frequent Gangrene Because of the Exposure of Their Wounds.

London, Feb. 1.—The Daily Telegraph's Tokyo correspondent says the Russian casualties in the engagements from Jan. 25 to Jan. 29, are now estimated at between 36,000 and 42,000 and those of the Japanese at 7,000.

Russians Leave 1,200 Dead.

Tokio, Feb. 1.—Manchurian headquarters telegraphing Monday reports that in the fighting since Jan. 28 at Likajentien, Chenchichiao and Haikoutai, the Russians left over 1,200 dead on the field. The Russians Monday shelled the Japanese centre, using field guns and mortars. Simultaneously they shelled a portion of the Japanese left, using twelve heavy field guns.

Russ Wounded Number 3,500

Mukden, Feb. 1.—Constant streams of wounded men are arriving here from the right flank, including Lieut. Gen. Mitshenko. According to official army organ the wounded number 3,500. The cold is intense, and the condition of the wounded causes the greatest anxiety, because the exposure of their wounds to the frost induces gangrene.

Karepatkin Bayonets Japs.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 1.—General Kuropatkin in despatches dated Jan. 29 and 30 reports that the Japanese losses in the recent fighting were heavy, many being bayoneted and sabred. The total number of Japanese prisoners already exceed 300. The Russian losses Jan. 28 among the advance posts were five officers and 50 men. Since Jan. 25 the losses are 10,000. Russian continue to successfully bombard Sandepas, where many Japanese have been frozen to death.

Helikoutai a Serious Loss.

Tokio, Feb. 1.—It is believed that the loss of Helikoutai weakens the Russian position, and probably will compel material change in the Russian front in that vicinity. Helikoutai will be strongly defended by the Japanese, who are now occupying the Russian works. The Japanese Monday captured off Hokkaido Island, northern Japan, the British steamer Wyndham, loaded with contraband for Vladivostok.

R.O. COMMITTED FOR TRIAL

Selkirk Official Accused of Erasing Voters Names.

Selkirk, Man., Feb. 1.—Preliminary investigation into three charges against Lawrence Duggan, returning officer for Selkirk, of erasing names of Wm. Ibbester, George Rowland and William Scarry from lists of voters supplied to him for use in the Dominion election was resumed here yesterday morning.

G. H. Walker, prothonotary of King's bench, and clerk of election court, produced documents transmitted to him by Clerk of Court in Chancery at Ottawa, including lists purporting to have been used by deputy returning officers.

H. W. H. Knott appeared for the Crown, and E. L. Howell for the defence. Formal evidence of deputy returning officers and scrutineers was put in, and on the case for the Crown closing Mr. Howell stated that he did not propose to call any evidence for the defence.

Counsel then addressed court, and the magistrate announced that he would commit accused to take his trial at the next Assizes.

Princess Has Appendicitis.

London, Feb. 1.—The Princess Victoria, daughter of King Edward, underwent an operation for appendicitis at Buckingham Palace, yesterday morning. The operation was performed by Sir Frederick Treves, surgeon in ordinary to the King.

A bulletin subsequently issued says: "The circumstances of the operation were favorable. The Princess bore it very well, and is progressing very satisfactorily." The Princess, who has been ill for some time, came to London Jan. 27 to prepare for the operation. She was born in 1868.

Snow Bank 40 Feet Deep.

Halifax, N.S., Feb. 1.—Another heavy northeast snowstorm, which is in progress all over Nova Scotia, has again tied up the railways' traffic. Trains are again being cancelled. There is more snow on the ground now than at any time during the past twenty years. In the vicinity of Halifax there is about four feet on the level. On the railway the snow is said to be banked up from thirty to forty feet in height.

Hackneys and Ponies.

Toronto, Feb. 1.—The Canadian Pony Society and the Hackney Horse Association last night met here and elected officers. The latter association decided to nationalize their register, and the Pony Society made three presentations to deserving officers.

Minard's Liniment — Lumberman's Friend.

CLOSE CONTRACT FOR ARMORY

Piggott & Sons have Signed Agreement to Proceed with Work at Once

New Home for 24th Regiment Promised by Mr. Stephens Finally Under Way.

The contract for the erection of the new armory and drill hall, to be built on Tesumseh Park, has been finally approved by the Government and signed by John Piggott & Sons, of this city, to whom the work has been let.

There is nothing now to delay a prompt proceeding with the work, and as soon as the milder weather of early spring sets in the building of the 24th Regiment's new home will be commenced.

The new armory for this city was promised over two years ago and George Stephens, who then represented West Kent, used his influence to secure the same. It has been a long time coming, but the closing of the contract at last makes it an immediate certainty.

The Regimental prospects this year are brighter than ever before. There is a large enlistment and the establishment of the barracks will give a capital impetus to our splendid military institution.

FUTURE FOR THE OFFICIALS

Mr. Foy Chats with Liberal Newspaper as to New Government's Course.

Competent Men Who Have Not Meddled in Political Matters to Be Left Alone.

The Toronto Star, Liberal, says:

When visited by a representative of the Star this morning, Mr. J. J. Foy, M. P. P., seemed to be in a very happy frame of mind. Mr. Foy, who has been sick during most of the campaign, was able to get out yesterday, for the first time, in order to vote. Although feeling very much better, he is still compelled to be very careful.

He expressed himself as very much pleased with the result, both in his own riding and in the Province. "Yesterday's vote," he said, "is the natural and necessary result of the public having at last understood the charges against the Ross Government. In the House and on the stump Mr. Whitney and his colleagues made fair and candid exposures of the facts. In this they were well backed by the press of the country. The public being thus seized of the facts, the better element of the Liberals joined the Conservatives in yesterday's vote."

Sir Wilfrid Laurier at the Ottawa meeting said that it was a campaign of mud-slinging. That certainly was not a correct description of the Whitney methods. We were contented to give the facts, and were able to prove them by the records of the Legislature by the evidence of the courts, and by the judgment of the highest judges of the land."

"Did the very sweeping victory come as a surprise," the Star representative asked. "Not altogether. We had information justifying the expectation of what has happened, but it seemed too much to expect that the verdict would be so decisively in our favor."

"What of the civil servants?" was another question. "Those of them who have not been active partisans will be treated on their merits," said Mr. Foy. "Those that are found fit for their offices will not be interfered with. I understand that many of them have not attended very well to their duties, and some of them in recent years have taken part in political work for the Government. Their cases will be looked into."

On the question of the Cabinet, Mr. Foy would have nothing to say. That rested altogether with Mr. Whitney. "He has committed himself to no one, and I believe, quite untrammelled in the choice of his colleagues."

ORCHESTRAL CLUB

All who are interested in orchestral music in any way should attend the first meeting to be held this evening at the residence of E. B. Arthur, Alexandra Block, at eight p. m. Especially young violinists of both sexes are invited to attend this meeting, as it is the intention to organize an orchestra of 30 or 40 players if possible for the purpose of studying of such works as can be handled by amateurs. It is proposed to give two concerts a year by the club, and already some 14 players have a signed their intention to join the club. Officers will be elected and night of rehearsal agreed upon.

300 DEAD AT WARSAW

Troops Withdrawn From the Centre of the City.

End of the Strike Seems to Be in Sight, But Case of Treacherous Stabbing of Soldiers Grows More Frequent—Hundreds of Arrests Have Been Made, But Rumors That 25,000 Lodz Workmen March on Warsaw Unfounded.

London, Feb. 1.—The Daily Mail's Warsaw correspondent reports a restoration of comparative peace, though the city is still in a condition of dangerous ferment.

"The majority of the troops," the correspondent says, "have been withdrawn from the centre of the city, and the end of the strike is in sight. There is some fighting still in the outer suburbs, and cases of treacherous stabbing of soldiers are growing more frequent. Vehicular traffic has been resumed and supplies of food are arriving."

"Hundreds of domiciliary visits and arrests have been made. All suspected persons are stopped, searched and arrested if found to be carrying weapons. Careful investigation convinces me that the dead number 300."

"The rumors of dynamite outrages at Lodz, and that 25,000 Lodz workmen are marching on Warsaw are unfounded. The Lodz men have struck but remain quiet."

Mob Must Be Stopped.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 1.—In an interview, Grand Duke Vladimir says: "I have stood aghast at the frightful stories of the butchery of innocent people which they have printed. I know they say well-intentioned patriots with a priest at their head, coming peacefully to place their grievances before His Majesty, were ruthlessly shot down in the streets, but we know that behind this peaceful procession was an Anarchistic and Socialistic plot of which the overwhelming majority of the workmen were merely innocent tools. We know from examination of the dead and those arrested that some alleged priests were actually revolutionary agitators and students in disguise. We had to save the city from a mob. Unfortunately, to do so, innocent and guilty suffered alike. But suppose 140,000 men had reached the gates of the Winter Palace; they would have sacked it as the mob sacked Versailles. From the palace they would have gone elsewhere, and the whole city would have been delivered over to anarchy, riot, bloodshed and flames. Our duty was the duty of every Government. The same situation has confronted cities in other countries. Why, because this occurred in Russia, should the whole world point the finger of scorn at us?"

A Deliberate Act.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 1.—An unfounded report is in circulation that it has been officially ascertained that the discharge of grape from a saluting gun during the ceremony of the blessing of the waters on Jan. 19, and which imperilled the lives of the Emperor and members of his family was a deliberate act of the terrorists, their tool being a private soldier of the saluting battery.

Revolution Not Yet Ripe.

New York, Feb. 1.—Michael Davitt, writing The Journal from St. Petersburg, says:

Official society is laughing at the English correspondents' predictions of an uprising yesterday. If the people of the other cities of Russia are as unprepared as the capital you may expect the overthrow of the Government about a month after there is a successful revolution in Colorado or Florida. No organization capable of producing revolution exists. Ninety-eight per cent. of the Russian people are peasants, attached to the soil, and unable to read and write. Any proposal to overthrow the throne or the Czar would be as unpopular among the stolid masses as a suggestion to abolish the Papacy would be to the world of Catholicism. Reform must come, and soon, but it will arrive along the lines of development. Deeds of terrorism will probably continue as heretofore, but any actual revolution is out of the question for the present. It is rumored that most of the English and French correspondents will be politely asked to withdraw after the successful notation of the next Russian loan. I am informed that six of the nine journalists arrested recently are Jews.

Police Kill a Girl.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 1.—Last evening the police surprised a meeting of strikers in a tavern and fired, killing a girl and wounding four other persons.

Toronto Press Club Officers.

Toronto, Feb. 1.—The election of officers of the Toronto Press Club was held last evening at the King Edward and resulted: Hon. president, Prof. Goldwin Smith; president, Victor Ross (Globe); vice-president, W. H. Greenwood (World); treasurer, M. B. McDonald (Mail and Empire); secretary, Bert. Houghton (Telegram). An executive will be chosen later.

G.T.P. Bonus Goes Through.

Edmonton, N.W.T., Feb. 1.—The bylaw granting the G.T.P. a bonus of \$100,000 for the establishment of shops and a union depot here was carried yesterday by 800 to 43.

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EAGER FOR TROUBLE.

The local Opposition organ seems anxious to cause as much trouble as possible to its own political friends who hold local offices in the civil service. Yesterday it published a list of four of these offices which it infers the new Government should see were vacated, and incidentally alleges that a slate of successors has already been drafted.

Why the Banner deems that the services of the present incumbents of these positions should be dispensed with is hard to say; but it is safe for these gentlemen to assume that the representatives of the Government are more just and generous. It is hardly necessary to say that there is nothing in the silly story, which appears little less than an effort at an open insult to the present officials, the gentlemen it named to succeed them and the Liberal-Conservative party.

Office-seeking and office-holding evidently are the Rosette organ's chief conceptions of the duties and responsibilities of governmental power.

UNFAITHFUL NEWSPAPERS.

The Ross Government had not one daily newspaper supporter of the courage to denounce the things that brought about the Waterloo of Wednesday. This is not a pleasant thing to have to say of a large section of the newspaper press. Thousands and thousands of Liberal voters defected but not one newspaper. So much the worse for the papers.

The Globe was a corporation paper all the time; never once did it warn Mr. Ross that he was raiding the public and the municipalities of their rights. It never named and asked for the retirement of any wrongdoer engaged in election frauds. And those who owned The Globe owned another—an evening paper engaged in the same business. These two papers exploited the Liberal party for their corporation owners, and the Liberal party is to-day in the dust!

Papers of the class of The Hamilton Times, The Brantford Expositor, The Kingston Whig, the two latter edited by men with seats in the Legislature, forget what the word liberal meant. They never protested against any corporation raid or advised Mr. Ross that he was violating all the traditions of his party. They were content to see the attorney-general of the province the biggest corporation promoter in the country. So-called independent papers like The Herald of Hamilton stuck by Hon. J. M. Gibson through thick and thin. Within two days of the election this paper asked that Ross be given a decisive majority so that he might rid himself of the crooks that surrounded him. Surely an independent paper would have suggested his retirement because of this thing.

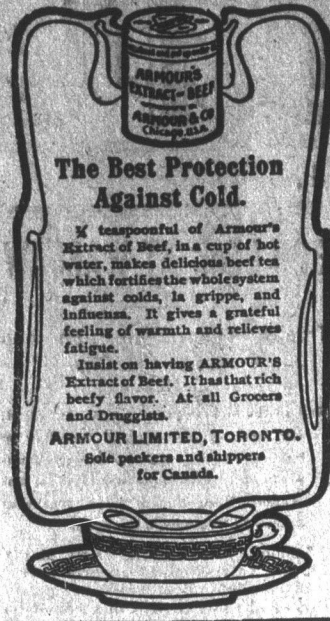
The country weekly Liberal press were weak and without influence. They justified nearly everything that was done. They stood for everything that the corporation papers proposed. They never protested.—Toronto World.

ONTARIO'S POLITICAL HISTORY.

The political history of Ontario has been one long series of almost unbroken success for the Liberals at the polls. When the province was established under confederation the Premiership was given by Sir John Macdonald to John Sandfield Macdonald, one of the old Liberals, who formed a coalition government, which was afterwards opposed by the Liberal party. Mr. Arch. McKellar led the Liberal Opposition until 1869, when Hon. Edward Blake succeeded him. By his skill in leadership the Sandfield Macdonald Government was overthrown, and Mr. Blake became Premier in December, 1871. The abolition of the dual representation in 1872 led to Mr. Blake's withdrawal to Ottawa.

Hon. Oliver Mowat then descended from the Bench, and embarked on the Premiership, Oct. 21, 1872, a position which he was to hold with such dignity and success for almost a quarter century. Three years followed before Mr. Mowat appealed to the people, but his triumph at six successive general elections is a fact which can never be gainsaid as evidence of his great hold on the people of the province.

Obviously enough, his first campaign was characterized by charges of scandal in connection with the Central Prison and the colonization roads, but these cries, like all their successors, were found to be baseless. In the election of 1879 he carried Ontario by a good majority, although Sir John Macdonald had only a short time before secured a Conservative majority from the same territory.



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In his National Policy speech, Sir Matthew Crooks Cameron, who had been Conservative leader since 1871, was appointed to the Bench in 1878, and the post was taken by Mr. W. R. Meredith. The latter's leadership was marked by unfortunate choice of fighting ground, as evidenced by his opposition to provincial rights and his sectarian appeals, first, to the Catholics by means of "Facts for the Irish Electors" in 1883, and later to the Protestants by means of "The Eyeopener" and other cries. Mr. Mowat was victorious in 1883, 1886, 1890 and 1894, and Mr. Meredith abandoned the hopeless task and retired in October, 1895, to the more serene atmosphere of the Bench. He was followed by Mr. G. F. Marter, who found one session sufficient, and resigned the leadership on April 2, 1896, since which time the office has been filled by Mr. J. P. Whitney.

Meantime in June, 1896, Sir Oliver Mowat joined Sir Wilfrid Laurier in the appeal which landed the Liberals in office at Ottawa, and the "Little Premier" bade good-bye to the activities of the provincial field. He was succeeded by Hon. A. S. Hardy, so long his faithful colleague, and a member of the House at that time for 23 years. Mr. Hardy's name will ever be venerated for the painstaking, honest work he performed during his long public service. The one campaign which he conducted in 1898 left him with a narrow majority. The latest period of the Liberal regime began October 21, 1899, when, Mr. Hardy retiring owing to failing health, the Premiership was assumed by Hon. G. W. Ross. A spirited program of development of New Ontario and a policy of ameliorating the ills of old Ontario has marked Mr. Ross' entire administration. In appealing to the people in May, 1899, he also secured a small majority, and since then moves and countermoves lent uncertainty to the situation and a general election was called to secure a decisive majority. The campaign just concluded was probably the most abusive in our political history, and the end will be received with a certain amount of satisfaction by the leaders of both sides and by the whole province at large.

Details of the results of the various general elections may be added as follows:

1867—The Globe reported 39 constituencies for the coalition Government and 42 for the Liberals. The defection of certain Liberals, afterwards known as "the nine martyrs," who claimed that they had been elected to support the coalition, changed the face of the result.
1871—Liberals 41, Conservatives 32, and Independents 7. Subsequently the Government were beaten on division and resigned.
1875—Liberals 50, Conservatives 33, Independents 4.
1879—Liberals 58, Conservatives 30, Independents 7.
1883—Liberals 46, Conservatives 36, Independents 2.
1886—Liberals 54, Conservatives 34, Independents 1.
1889—Liberals 54, Conservatives 36, Independents 5.
1894—Liberals 50, Conservatives 25, Independents 5, Patrons of Industry 11, P. P. A. 2.
1896—Liberals 47, Conservatives 44, Patrons 1, Independent 1, vacant 1.
1902—Liberals 51, Conservatives 47, Independents 2.
1905—Conservatives 72, Liberals 26.

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DISTRICT DOINGS

JEANNETTE'S CREEK.

Mr. Baehner is very ill with rheumatism. J. C. Atkinson is having his house improved.

R. Venning has moved into his new house, and W. Atkinson has also moved into his.

Fish are bringing big money just now. Six boxes brought sixty dollars on Tuesday.

Miss Hamilton is spending this week with Chatham friends.

A. G. Atkinson, while driving to the lighthouse on election day, had one of his horses go through the ice under the R. R. bridge over Batiste Creek. G. Smith brought his horse and drew the animal out.

Many warm friends here were sorry over the sad death of Mrs. H. J. Cartier. The mourners have the deepest sympathy of many friends here.

J. Jubanville gave an oyster supper to his many friends on Monday night.

CEDAR SPRINGS.

Mr. Wm. McFadden, who was on the sick list, is improving slowly. Mrs. John Dalrymple and family, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson for the last two weeks, arrived home on Saturday.

Mr. Herb McDowell has accepted a position with the Erie Coal Co. at Brian.

An amusing sight the other day was Thos. Lowes with his Jersey ball in harness attached to a buggy driving at a good pace through the village.

Mr. O. Bunning has just finished hauling tobacco and will now be able to devote all his time to fishing and trapping.

Mr. S. McDowell has let the contract to Mr. John Knott to drill a well on his farm in Raleigh.

The result of the elections was a surprise to many, but the majority of the people here were delighted that the machine was put out of business.

Mr. Thos. Lowes has just completed a brick well for Joseph Heatherington.

Mr. Geo. Hambly has been laid up for the past week with a sprained ankle. He is about able to be around again.

The Baptist Sunday school will hold their annual oyster supper on Thursday evening next at McGuigan Bros. at the lake.

Mr. Ralph Storey is recovering from his late illness.

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We Saw First Locomotive.

William T. Hockett, one of the oldest locomotive engineers of the country, was interested at Kansas City, Mo., on Christmas Day. Mr. Hockett brought the first locomotive to Kansas City. Previous to his arrival in Kansas City he was a resident of Canada, being the first engineer to run a locomotive in Toronto. The Ontario, St. Lawrence and Huron Railroad was completed in 1851. Its stockholders and directors were mostly Englishmen and Canadians, and he ran the Lady Elgin the first locomotive built in Toronto.

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A woman is sick; some disease peculiar to her sex is fast developing in her system. She goes to her family physician and tells him a story, but not the whole story.

She holds something back, loses her head, becomes agitated, forgets what she wants to say, and finally conceals what she ought to have told, and thus completely mystifies the doctor.

Is it any wonder, therefore, that the doctors fail to cure the disease? Skill we cannot blame the woman, for it is very embarrassing to detail some of the symptoms of her suffering, even to her family physician.

It was for this reason that years ago Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass., determined to step in and help her sex. Having had considerable experience in treating female ills with her Vegetable Compound, she encouraged the women of Canada to write to her for advice in regard to their complaints, and being a woman, it was easy for her sisterly letters to pour into her ears every detail of their suffering.

In this way she was able to do for them what the physicians were unable to do, simply because she had the proper information to work upon, and from the little group of women who sought her advice years ago a great army of her fellow-beings are to-day constantly applying for advice and relief, and the fact that many thousands of them have been cured by following the advice of Mrs. Pinkham during the last year is indicative of the grand results which are produced by her unequalled experience and training.

No physician in the world has had such a training, or has such an amount of information at hand to assist in the treatment of all kinds of female ills, from the simplest local irritation to the most complicated womb diseases.

This, therefore, is the reason why Mrs. Pinkham, in her laboratory at Lynn, Mass., is able to do more for the ailing women of Canada than the family physician. Any woman, therefore, is responsible for her own suffering who will not take the trouble to write to Mrs. Pinkham for advice.

The testimonials which we are constantly publishing from grateful women establish beyond a doubt the power of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to conquer female diseases.

GAMBLING DEN TRAGEDY

Tucson, Arizona, Jan. 27.—A tragedy, in which four men lost their lives, occurred in Nogales to-day. Wm. Walters, a gambler, entered the palace saloon, owned by M. M. Conn, walked to a poker table, and without warning, opened fire on the dealer, known as "Cowboy" Johnson, firing two shots through his head. Walters then turned on Conn, the proprietor, who was making his way toward the door, shooting him through the head and heart. The murderer then turned his weapon toward the money dealer, shooting him through the back of the head. He fired a shot at George Bendle, a cattle man, which grazed the latter's face, and then turned the revolver on himself and sent a bullet through his brain. All of the victims died before being able to make statements. Walters had been employed by Conn, but had been discharged a few days before. It is said he was intoxicated at the time he entered the saloon. Conn was one of the best known sporting men in the south-west.

ETERNITY IS LONG.

An evangelist in a little town was trying to give his hearers an idea of the length of time those must suffer, the end of whose journey is the terminus of the Broad Road.

"My brethren," he exhorted, "if little bird were to dip its beak in the Atlantic Ocean, gather up a drop of water and then hop across continent—no fly, but hop its inch by inch—until it reached the broad Pacific, and there deposit a little drop of water, walk back to again dip its beak in the Atlantic, and continue this operation until it had emptied the Atlantic into the Pacific, my brethren, it wouldn't yet be sun-up in hell."

Some shuddered in their seats at the awful word-picture, while others of the more zealous cried aloud, "Amen!"—Life.

Most men like to address women by their Christian name.

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THE STAGE

"All the world's a stage
And all the men and women
Merely players."

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

At the Grand—
Marks Bros.—Jan. 30, 31, Feb. 1.
Meister Singers—Feb. 2.
Uncle Tom's Cabin—Feb. 3.
Kennedy Players—Feb. 6-11.
Pretty Peggy—Feb. 13.
Sign of the Cross—Feb. 27.

THE MEISTER SINGERS.

At the Grand To-morrow Night.
The exquisitely blended voices of the famous Meister Singers, of London, England, delighted a large audience at Massey Hall last night. The quartette sing with a rare smoothness of tone, and in just intonation. The most scrupulous care is exercised in all their work, and again and again they were enthusiastically recalled. Kidner's glees, "Lull me to Sleep," was rendered with a delightful dreaminess of effect, and Elgar's "Whether I Find Thee" was another beautiful number, in which the quartette displayed the most perfect finish and tone graduation.—Toronto News, Nov. 18th, 1904.

The date for the Chatham Grand is Thursday, Feb. 2nd.

UNCLE TOM'S CABIN — A \$20,000 PRODUCTION.

No. 24, The Martin Revival, will appear at the Grand on Friday, Feb. 3rd. It is an undisputed fact that



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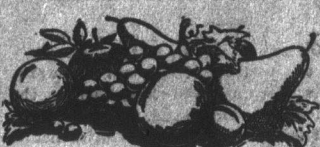
there is no better production of "Uncle Tom's Cabin" on the road to-day than that made by Al. W. Martin several years ago, and improved with each season since. It is the largest company with possibly few exceptions, such as special revivals, ever used in the production of the play. It is claimed, for it contains a company of the original "Georgia Shouters," who play the negroes in the cotton fields, and who are seen in plantation dances and head in plantation songs in scenes showing the quarters of the negroes on a plantation where the master was a humane man. There are solos, quartettes choruses in which the old-time songs as well as the new ones are sung by voices having the peculiar negro sweetness. There are a number of excellent dancers and they dance among others the latest shuffle, called the "Swanee Shine." There is a pack of genuine bloodhounds, gaunt and ugly looking beasts, such as were used to track escaped negro slaves, and such as are now used to track escaped criminals in the south. These bloodhounds, brought from the South and a part of a pack used by a prison contractor at his convict pen in Georgia, are used in the scenes where the escaped slaves are followed, and with their deep-mouthed baying add impressiveness to the escape of Eliza and of George Harris. There are also horses, donkeys and ponies and altogether the live stock exhibit is extensive. The scenery is a special feature of the production. Some of the most notable scenes include the humble cabin of Uncle Tom, and an old Southern road, Skinner's tavern, the ice-gorged Ohio River by moonlight, the home of Phineas Friend, the wild, rocky pass in Southern Ohio, and the transformation called "The Holy City."

Special prices, 25, 35 and 50 cents.

KENNEDY PLAYERS.

During the past five years the Kennedy Players, who commence a six nights' engagement at the Grand Opera House next Monday, have been playing successfully without losing a single week; during the summer months presenting stock productions in some of the larger cities, and the regular season touring the principal cities of the East and Middle States. Last summer this company played most successful three months' engagement in Duluth, Minn., and come to us so highly recommended by press and public, that a crowded house is sure to be present at next Monday evening's presentation of The Octoroon.

Elaborate costuming and beautiful scenic investiture, together with five complete specialties each evening, are the features of this organization, and each performance is promised to be absolutely continuous. One lady admitted free with each paid reserved seat ticket purchased at the advance sale before 6 p. m. Monday. Prices—10, 20 and 30 cents.



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Feb. 1.—Chas. Moore, Talbot St., left on Monday, last for New Liskeard, New Ontario.

Jas. Shaver has purchased Abbot Giffin's property on Sheldrick St.

Miss Lundy, of the Public School staff, leaves in a few days for the General Hospital, Chatham, to undergo an operation.

A sleighload of young people spent a very enjoyable evening at Mr. Tishborne's, Cedar Springs, on Monday evening.

L. Livingstone has moved into the house lately vacated by Wm. Sterling, Jackson St.

The carnival held at the skating rink on Monday evening was a huge success in every way, the ice being in excellent condition. The prizes

COZY CORNERS.

Some Hints That Will Aid in Producing Pleasant Results.

There is no sense in any arrangement of crossed spears or imitation shields or Japanese lanterns, however pretty in themselves, in the modern living room.

But there are a hundred devices for rendering the four angles of a room attractive. A low, well filled bookcase may be set straight with one side of a wall and at right angles to it and slightly turned toward the shelves a low, easy chair and a footstool. What more enticing corner for a student?

A handsome old heirloom desk or a piano placed cornerwise has a good effect. Let the walls above be arranged with a special eye to fitness—pictures and casts, a narrow shelf high up and holding a graceful vase, or, in case of the piano, back of it may be stood a tall, slender stand crowned with a pot of growing ferns or a spike palm.

An oblong mirror hung endwise (and if this happens to be an antique the success of the corner is assured) at a greater or less distance from the floor, according to the height of the ceiling, is an excellent corner effect, provided it reflects some pleasing object in the opposite corner. A shelf a few inches below it, filled with growing plants and a bowl or two of cut flowers, has its beauty doubled by reflection.

One of the most charming of cozy corners, whose restfulness will always remain in my memory, was a simple arrangement of large floor pillows and near them a taboret on which lay the newest magazines, with their leaves freshly cut.—Boston Cooking Magazine.

WORKBAG APRON.

A Combination That Will Commend Itself to Busy Women.

Haven't you always wanted something to put your work away in and something to spread over your lap while sewing? If so, a workbag apron is the proper article, and in its very simplicity lies its charm.

Make a square of Persian lawn twenty-four inches when finished, trimmed with tucks and lace around the edges. From the middle of each side make a diagonal square of beading. Cut six yards of ribbon into four lengths and run them through the beading, leaving it very loose on three sides and drawing it quite tight on the fourth to give a little fullness at the waist line of the apron. Make hard knots at all four corners and then tie the double bowknots. By lifting these bows you can draw it up into a bag. But if you untie the bows, not the hard knots, at the ends of the shirred side you have four long ribbons to tie about the waist. While sewing you have on what appears to be an ordinary apron with a pointed bib. When you stop you pile all your things into your lap, untie the ribbons about your waist, retie the bowknots, take hold of all four bows and draw it up into a bag.—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

LAUNDRY LINES.

Frequent rubbing on sandpaper will keep irons from sticking.

Tubs will not warp or crack if the precaution is taken to put a pail of water into each directly after use.

A lump of alum the size of a hickory nut added to each pint of starch will keep the colors of calicoes and ginghams bright a long time.

Don't wash dainty, perishable needlework with ordinary soap. Make suds of the white sort and when washed iron wet upon wrong side.

Before using the rope you have bought for a new clothesline boll it and let it dry. In this way it is properly shrunk and it is also made more durable.

A little pipeclay dissolved in the water used in washing linen saves a great deal of labor and soap and cleans the dirtiest linen thoroughly. This method is especially useful in towns where outdoor bleaching is generally an impossibility.

Pinning On Onion Smart.

"I have been putting up preserves and pickles for thirty years," said a Brooklyn housewife of the old school, "and I discovered the other day that I am not too old to learn something new. I went to New Jersey to see my son's young wife, an Iowa girl. She was putting up onions, a decidedly disagreeable task. But her eyes were not watery. They were as clear as the sky. She simply nodded and muttered something between closed teeth.

"What in the world are you keeping that pin between your teeth for?" I asked.

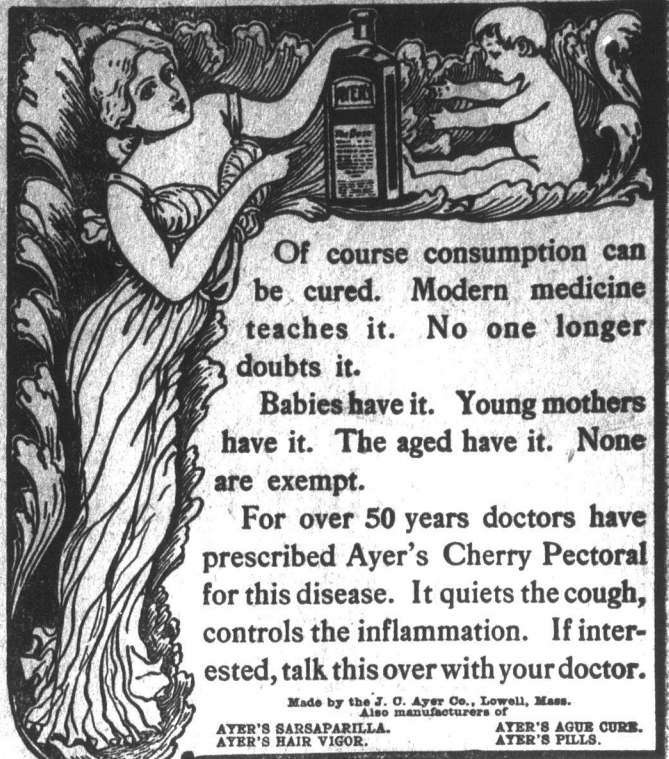
"She removed it long enough to say: 'To keep the onions from hurting my eyes. I'll be through in a minute.'"

"Do you mean to say that will do it?" I asked incredulously.

"She nodded. The pin was in its place again. She kept it there for ten minutes while I watched her work, and her eyes were as dry as walnut."—New York Press.

Fried Crumbs.

Fried breadcrumbs make a most attractive garnish when scattered over a rib roast or fried fish. To have them as they should be—crisp, golden brown and absolutely free from grease—the crumbs should be thoroughly dried, then rolled and sifted through a coarse sieve to remove the finer ones that may be saved for breading or other purposes. Melt a tablespoonful of butter in the spider or use the same amount of olive oil and when smoking hot put in the crumbs that remain in the sieve. Stir and shake continually over the fire, and as soon as they color take them up. Dried crumbs tasted a golden brown in the oven and eaten hot in milk make a delicious and easily digested bedtime luncheon.



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A College Professor's Decision After a Series of Experiments.

As the result of his exhaustive experiments with a squad of United States soldiers doing heavy gymnasium work under restricted diet Professor Chittenden of Yale concludes that most people eat too much.

The men were worked hard in gymnasium and gained steadily and greatly in strength while they were being fed far less than the average diet. They were called the "starvation squad," but their photographs taken at the close of the experiment do not look like those of starving men, rather like those of competent gymnasts. Says Professor Chittenden in his recently published "Physiological Economy in Nutrition": "Our results justify the conviction that the minimal protein requirements of the healthy man under ordinary conditions of life are far below the generally accepted dietary standards and far below the amounts called for by the acquired tastes of the generality of mankind. The amount of protein or albuminous food needed daily for the actual physiological wants of the body is not more than one-half of the protein food ordinarily consumed by the average man. Body weight (when once adjusted to the new level), health, strength, mental and physical vigor and endurance can be maintained with at least one-half of the protein food ordinarily consumed."

Proteids are the chemical elements that most people get by a meat diet, though beans, peas and some other vegetables are also strong in proteids. But less meat is the practical equivalent of Professor Chittenden's advice.

It has often been noticed by amateur mountaineers that Adirondack guides and Swiss mountain men eat less solid food than the average Wall street broker, who does little physical labor.—New York World.

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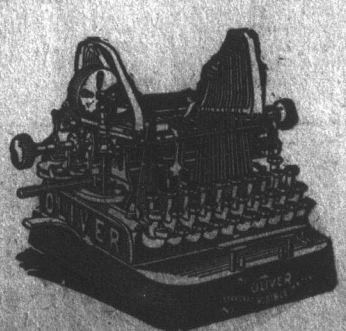
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TO-NIGHT.

Skating at the rink to-night. Divine service in Christ Church at 7.45.

Prayer meeting, city churches, at 8 o'clock.

Marks Bros. will appear at the Grand at 8.15.

Court Hope, No. 6244, A. O. F., in the A. O. W. Hall, at 8.

Orchestral Club, E. B. Arthur's, Alexandra Building, at 8. All violinists invited.

Meeting of Typographical Union, No. 460, in Federation Hall, over Cowan's shoe store, at 7.50, sharp.

THE LOCAL BUDGET

Skating to-night at the Rink! Shoe Sale—Wm. Somerville & Son. Will Stevens left to-day for Sarnia.

T. W. Simpson, of Berlin, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Sandy McVein, of Dresden, was a Maple City visitor yesterday.

J. L. Scote is selling No. 1 hard and soft wood at reduced prices. Orders taken at offices, Fifth and Adelaide Sts.

Arthur Slade is here from Milwaukee attending at the bedside of his father, Robert Slade, Barth St., who is seriously ill.

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Miss Hattie Northwood left for Sarnia to-day to attend the wedding of Will Stevens, Secretary-Treasurer of the Canada Flour Mills Co., and Miss Symington, of Sarnia, which takes place on Thursday morning.

Miss Jordan, our popular vocalist, took part recently in a concert at Springfield, and the Echo says:—"Miss Jordan, of Chatham, sang a couple of beautiful solos. Her sweet, well-trained voice and clear, distinct enunciation charmed all who heard her."

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Far to many on hand. We will slaughter these.

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Evening clothes are so much in evidence at this time of the year—for evening weddings, receptions, dinner and theatre parties. Well, we can outfit you in a way that will please you and rejoice your friends. With us you are sure to get the latest in mode and material—perfect fit always.

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See Our 99c Trimmed Hat worth from \$2.00 to \$3

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See our 25c. Hats.

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Candy Snaps, assorted flavors, and they are delicious, pure and fresh daily.

See Window Display and come in and have a snap.

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Headquarters for Fresh, Pure Taffies and Candies of all kinds.

Skating to-night at the Rink!

Bargain in Shoes—Wm. Somerville & Son.

D. J. Thompson, of Dutton, was in the city yesterday.

Henry Stokes, of Wallaceburg, was in the city yesterday.

W. R. Hicks, of Northwell, is in the city to-day on legal business.

E. Phillips, of Windsor, spent yesterday with his Chatham friends.

Alex. F. Gibson, of Defiance, Ohio, was a visitor in the city to-day.

D. Smith, of Riverside, spent yesterday with his Chatham friends.

We will offer guns at a bargain for the next 30 days at Geo. Stephens & Co.

Miss Dell McLean's dancing school will give an assembly in the near future.

Geo. C. Laurence, of Detroit, was registered at the Garner House yesterday.

W. H. McMaekon, of Ridgetown, is spending the day with his Chatham friends.

"No! I can't go Friday night; that's the night of the Masquerade Carnival at the Rink."

Wanted to Exchange, lumber for horses. Apply to Scott Bros., lumber dealers, Chatham.

Miss Dell McLean left this morning for Dresden, where she will spend the day with her many friends.

John Anderson, Secretary-Treasurer of the Wallaceburg Coopers Company, was registered at the Garner House yesterday and to-day.

Masquerade Dress Carnival at the Skating Rink Friday night. Band in attendance. Admission 25c, or season tickets and 40c.

Dave Ingram, employed by J. P. Taylor, Park street, has been quite seriously ill but is recovering. Mr. Ingram has been in the employ of J. P. Taylor for three years and this is his first absence from work.

Thousands upon thousands of the best known people in Canada have greatly benefited by the use of Allen's Lung Balm. It cures deep-seated coughs and colds as well as all phases of Croup, Quinsy, Bronchitis, and similar affections.

Miss Heasley, who is the guest of Mrs. V. C. Munter, of this city, returns home shortly. A number of her many friends surprised her last evening by calling on her in a body. A delightful evening was spent. Miss Heasley is very popular among her Chatham friends.

Andrew Thomson, Jr., Auctioneer, has received instructions from Mrs. James Lamont, who is leaving the city, to sell without reserve all her Household Furniture in the flat over Taylor & Williamson's store, King street, on Friday, Feb. 3rd, at 1.30 p. m. Fine goods.

In the report of the meeting of the market building committee Mr. Edmondson was credited with seconding Ald. Westman's motion recommending that the face be wiped off the market building. It was the Mayor who seconded the motion. No injustice was intended to be done Mr. Edmondson. He has stood out for the whole market from the first and has championed a good market from the beginning.

TAKE NOTICE!

GORDON'S STOCK-TAKING SALE CONTINUES!

The balance of our January offers in Furs, Ladies Coats and Skirts, Men's Fur Coats, Whitewear and Embroideries, and other lines partially sold are yet on sale at our remarkably low prices until Saturday February 4th.

20 Misses Jackets, values \$5 to \$7, until February 4th, Each, **\$3.00**

20 Ladies Jackets, \$5 to \$8, until Feb 4th, Each, **3.50**

30 Ladies Tweed Skirts, values 3.00, 3.50, \$4, until Feb. 4th, Each, **2.00**

16 Long Tweed Tourist Coats, new this year, \$12 value, until Feb. 4th, Each, **8.00**

Embroideries, best 5c. and 7c. values in the city, until Feb. 4th. for per yard, **3c**

12 Fur Caperines, some with long fronts, assorted furs, regular value \$5 and \$6, until Feb. 4th, Each, **\$3.50**

4 only Plain Electric Seal Coats, sizes 34 and 36 reg. price \$35, until Feb. 4th. for **\$25.00**

WITH PRICES TO MATCH IN MANY OTHER LINES

WILLIAM GORDON

Skating to-night at the Rink!

Rev. W. E. Kerr, of Blenheim, is spending the day with his Maple City friends.

Miss Thompson, head milliner at Austin's, leaves to-day for Toronto, where she will spend a short vacation.

Clarence Barfoot, electrician, has returned from Tilbury, where he has been wiring several buildings for the Chatham Gas Co.

W. B. Bamford, travelling freight agent, and M. H. Brown, general freight agent of the Canadian Pacific Railway, are in the city to-day on business.

James Ronson, late of the firm of Smith & Ronson, left this morning for Toronto, where he will purchase fittings for his new shop, which will be opened up in the Seane Block.

Do the Right Thing when sore chest and tickling throat warn you that an all-winter cold threaten. Use the staunch old remedy, Perry Davis' Painkiller, and get rid of the pest in twenty-four hours. 25c and 50c.

R. O. Knight, who has been confined to his home, Victoria Ave., for the past week through illness, is able to be up town and attend to his grocery business again.

Eleven years of constant use in Blyth Ont., is Dr. H. J. Milne's experience with "The D. & L" Emulsion. Do you suppose he would have continued ordering it unless it was the best?

The pupils of the McKeough School will have a skating rink this afternoon at the school yard. The school yard was flooded yesterday and the pupils are looking forward to some jolly times when the rink is fit for use.

The Christ Church vested choir will hold a rehearsal this evening at 8 o'clock, sharp. The choir is preparing special music for an entirely musical service, which will be given on Sunday evening, Feb. 26th.

A couple of sleigh loads of young people from this city drove out to Mrs. LeCocq's residence, Fletcher, last evening. It was a surprise party to Mrs. LeCocq, and a very pleasant and jolly time was spent. The party was composed entirely of girls.

Mirrors are a nuisance in the house of a man whose face is branded with eczema. His own reflection alarms him. Let him anoint his inflamed, itching skin with Weaver's Cerate and purify his blood with Weaver's Syrup.

Wait for it! Al. W. Martin's \$30,000 production of Uncle Tom's Cabin at the Grand on Friday, for special Ladies' and Children's Matinee and at night. Gorgeous scenic effects, 30 people, 20 horses, ponies, donkeys and burros; a play that will live for ever; it's interesting and excels them all. Great electrical effects! Twenty colored people, 10 Russian and Cuban bloodhounds. Big street parade at 12 o'clock, noon, leaving Opera House. Watch for it! Seats now on sale at Briscoe's. Matinee at 3.15 p. m.; prices 10 and 25 cents. Prices at night—25, 35 and 50 cents.

Rousseau Committed For Trial.

New York, Feb. 1.—Gessler Rousseau, who was arrested in Philadelphia and brought here on a charge of sending a concealed explosive to the Cunard steamship Umbria, in this city two years ago, was yesterday committed to the Tombs Prison without bail, to await trial. Rousseau pleaded not guilty.

Succession Duty For Province.

Toronto, Feb. 1.—The Treasury Department will receive \$3,000 from the estate of the late Mrs. H. F. Bronson of Ottawa. The estate is valued at about \$145,000, but there were large bequests to charity, which are not assessable under the succession duties act.

BIRTHDAY SOCIAL

The Ladies Aid of the Victoria Avenue Methodist Church gave a birthday social in the church last evening. Each person who went, in order to gain admission had to give one cent for every year they had lived.

There was a good crowd present and everyone spent a most enjoyable time.

Besides providing an excellent array of refreshments, the ladies furnished an excellent musical program, consisting of solos by Miss Clements, Miss Jackson, Master Geo. Holmes and Garfield Hallman; selections from a male quartet composed of Messrs. Hallman and Hallman, Horstead and Trotter, and a recitation by Miss Carrier.

About \$35 was realized.

LA GRIPPE'S RAVAGES

The Victims Left Weak, Nerveless, and a Prey to Deadly Diseases.

La Grippe, or influenza, which sweeps over Canada every winter, is probably the most treacherous disease known to medical science. The attack may last only a few days, but the deadly poison in the blood remains. You are left with hardly strength enough to walk. Your lungs, your chest, your heart and nerves are permanently weakened, and you fall a victim to deadly pneumonia, bronchitis, consumption, rheumatism, or raging kidney troubles. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills never fail to cure the disastrous after effects of la grippe because they purify the blood and sweep away its poisonous germs. Every dose makes new, warm, rich blood which brings health and healing to every part of the body. This is proved in the case of Miss Doraine Langlois, of St. Jerome, Que., who says: "I had a severe attack of la grippe, the after effects of which left me racked with pains in every part of my body. My appetite completely failed me. I had severe headaches, was subject to colds with the least exposure, and grew so weak that I was unable to work at my trade as dressmaker. I tried several medicines without the slightest success until a drug clerk advised me to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I acted upon his excellent advice and the pills rapidly and completely cured me. My strength returned, the headaches and cough disappeared, and I am again enjoying my old-time health. I am satisfied that if sufferers from la grippe will use Dr. Williams' Pink Pills they will speedily recover from those after effects which makes the lives of so many people a burden."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cure all the common ailments due to weak and watery blood, such as anemia, headaches, dizziness, indigestion, neuralgia, rheumatism, sciatica, nervousness, general weakness and the special ailments that growing girls and women do not like to talk about even to their doctors. But only the genuine pills can do this, and you should see the full name "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People" is printed on the wrapper around each box. If you cannot get the genuine pills from your druggist send direct to the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont., and they will be mailed at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50.

Some people couldn't even buy a paper of pins without getting stuck.

WINTER RESORTS.

Consult your nearest Grand Trunk Agents, or address J. D. McDonald, District Passenger Agent, Toronto, if you desire information regarding the delightful Winter Resorts of California, Mexico or Florida. Unexcelled service and equipment.

The man of inaction is disposed to despise the force of other men.

Canada's Custom Receipts.

Ottawa, Feb. 1.—The customs receipts for the Dominion for the month of January were \$3,004,849, an increase of \$30,108 over January, 1904. For the seven months the revenue from customs was \$24,208,967, an increase of \$580,462 over the seven months for 1903-4.

Carroll D. Wright Retires.

Washington, Feb. 1.—After 20 years as United States Commissioner of Labor, Carroll D. Wright retired from that office yesterday. He left last night for Worcester, Mass., to assume the presidency of Clark College. His successor is Dr. Charles P. Neill of this city.

Felgate Gets No Damage.

Toronto, Feb. 1.—The Civil Assize Court yesterday afternoon decided the youth Eric Felgate was not entitled to any damages from the Heggler sisters for the loss of a leg. He and his father sued for \$5,000 each.

Married a Score of Women.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 1.—Chief of Police, O'Neill yesterday declared his belief that Johann Adolph Hoch, alleged to have been married to over a score of women, has murdered at least twelve of them.

Changes in Railways.

Halifax, N.S., Feb. 1.—The Midland Railway, running between Windsor and Truro, fifty-eight miles in length, will shortly become part of the Dominion Atlantic Railway system.

Jarvis Remanded Once More.

Windsor, Feb. 1.—Jarvis, the man who shot Police Officer Nash, was remanded yesterday for eight days by Police Magistrate Bartlett. Sergeant Nash is not able to appear yet.

BOOKBINDING.

Orders for bookbinding should be left at this office. It is surprising how nice a volume can be made of these magazines, even though they are somewhat soiled from much handling. Books, magazines, or periodicals bound or rebound in any style at very reasonable prices. Blank books, such as journals, ledgers, day books with any kind of ruling, made to order. All work warranted first class.

Don't Miss

The clearing sale of FANCY CHINA LAMPS, GLASSWARE, 97 PIECE DINER SETS, 44 PIECE TEA SETS, 10 PIECE CHAMBER SETS.

A 5c. and 10c. Counter containing China, Crockery and Glassware will have big bargains for the people who visit our store. The above stock must be reduced, and the prices we are going to ask, will make them move out. In

GROCERIES

We can satisfy you in quality and price. The business we are doing is a proof of this.

New Cooking Figs, 5c. per lb.

1 lb. Fine Sunlight Baking Powder 10c

2 lbs. Packages One Breakfast Food, 25c

25c. Bars of Dish Cloth Soap for 20c

4 Cans Blueberries for 25c

1 lb. Fresh Ground Coffee, 15c

3 Pounds Picked Beans for 10c

Maple Syrup, 25c. per Quart

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Our Annual Linen Sale
Commences Thursday, Feb. 2
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We have secured the best of Linens at the Lowest Prices at which Good Linens were ever offered, and this in spite of a rising market.

We will have the use of our Millinery Show Room in a few days, but in the meantime you'll find the Linens in their regular section.

Watch for announcements of Special Linen Values from day to day.

WM. FOREMAN & CO.

SATCHEL OF
THE SATELLITE

To-night is the night the Public Library Board will elect their chairman.

I'm much afraid that bear of mine won't see his shadow to-morrow.

John Edmondson — The market building, the whole market building, and nothing but the market building.

The Banner knows the trouble that they have had over the distribution of office and they think that the Conservatives are as hungry a lot as the Rossites.

RETURN ENGAGEMENT

GRAND OPERA HOUSE

THURSDAY, FEB. 2

A revelation in quartette singing—London Star.

The Greatest of Glee Artists

The Meister Singers

OF LONDON, ENGLAND

WILLIAM SEXTON, Alto; AGNES GORVON, Soprano; FORD WATKINS, Bass; ALFRED CUNNINGHAM, Baritone; conducted by MISS ROLAND HENRY, Soprano; and MISS ROLAND HENRY, in Musical Sketches.

Boxes—50c, 35c, 50c and 75c. Plan opens Tuesday, at Briscoe.

Grand Opera House

Friday, February 3rd

THE CONQUEROR COMES!

A. L. MARTIN'S

GREATER

Uncle Tom's Cabin

Produced on a scale of magnificence never before attempted.

30- PEOPLE -80

Card of Special Scenery

PONTIUS, MILES, HORSES, -20

SEE Spectacular Street Parade, 2 Bands, 20

Wagons, Lady Drum Corps and Buglers, Flauto, 25

GORGED PEOPLE IN SOUTHERN

FARMERS.

Cafe, Walkers, Dancers and Singers

Seats on sale Tuesday at Briscoe's

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Supporting the eminent comedian JOHN J. KENNEDY in the following select repertoire of New York Successes—

Monday—The Octoroon

Tuesday—The Midnight Express

Wednesday—Two Jolly Tramps

Thursday—The Boy from the Bowery

Friday—Another Man's Wife

Saturday—The Jolly Boys in M'ouri

Sai Matinee—Mark Twain, Tom Sawyer.

35 PEOPLE—6 SPECIALTY ACTS

All special scenery for every performance

Prices—10c, 20c, and 50c.

Ladies' Seats—50c—lady admitted free

Monday evening with each paid reserved

seat ticket purchased before 6 p. m. Monday.

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If COUGHS are CHRONIC

if there is any persistent irritation of the bronchial tubes, or if lowered vitality and loss of flesh indicate more serious troubles, there is need of a remedy of constitutional nature.

KLEIN'S EMULSION of COD LIVER OIL

combined with Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda is the remedy to use.

This is the standard preparation for all chronic lung and bronchial troubles, and for wasting diseases. This Emulsion is no better than others except in the matter of freshness, which is important.

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BARN HIS FUNERAL PYRE

John Ort of Zurich Perished By Burning

Supposed That He Fired His Brother's Barn While Litter Was Away and That He Designed and Accomplished Suicide—Some of His Bones Have Been Found—Tillsburg Child Also Struck by Lightning.

Zurich, Feb. 1.—About 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon the large barn of Jacob Ort, of the Bronson line, about two miles northwest of Zurich, was burned to the ground. John Ort, an elderly man, who had been living with his brother Jacob, perished in the flames. Some of his bones have been found; it is supposed to be a case of suicide.

Miss Lydia Ort, was returning home from a neighbor's when she noticed smoke pouring from the barn and hastened to the stables. At a great risk she managed to turn out all the horses and cattle safely. Mr. Ort and members of the family were away from home at the time.

Child Ate Strichnine.

Tillsburg, Feb. 1.—What might have resulted in a fatality was averted Monday by a narrow margin. It appears that the two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. William Andrews was entrusted with a box of tablets, which contained a percentage of strichnine, and being sugar-coated the child ate seven or eight of the tempting looking tablets and soon developed symptoms of strichnine poisoning. Medical aid was summoned and hopes are now entertained for its recovery.

M.C. Cadet Hurt.

Kingston, Feb. 1.—Cadet Watson of Montreal, returning to the Royal Military College after hockey practice, was in an upset in the roadway and came out of the mix-up with a broken left arm. He was removed to a battery hospital, where his arm was re-set. Other cadets were more or less injured, the van going over several times as the horses dashed along.

VIEW OF A CECIL.

Sees Chamberlain Aiming to Divide the Empire.

London, Feb. 1.—(C. A. P.)—Lord Hugh Cecil, M.P. (Conservative "free trader"), speaking at Preston, said Mr. Chamberlain's whole scheme was one to divide the Empire into classes with conflicting interests. He believed every word Mr. Chamberlain had spoken had done harm to the cause of union in the Empire. While they might hold the people together by ties of pecuniary interest, they would never generate sentiment or regard if imports were to be looked upon as evils, and in that case foreign countries and the colonies would look upon our exports as evils. He did not think the country would accept the protectionist doctrine, but would hold to that free commercial system which was the charter of justice and freedom.

Strathcona Entertains.

London, Feb. 1.—(C. A. P.)—Lord and Lady Strathcona, at the Hotel Cecil last night, welcomed a large and distinguished assembly, including representatives of many of the foreign Embassies, excepting Russia and Japan. The occasion was a ball promoted by the city of London International Commercial Association, with the object of promoting peace between the nations of the world. The Lord and Lady Mayoress attended in full state costume.

Want London Capital.

London, Feb. 1.—(C. A. P.)—The C.A.P. learns that three agents of the concessionaries of the proposed Nova Scotia Eastern Railway has for months past been attempting to raise capital in London to start operations. The agents have directly approached several likely financiers, but so far have been unsuccessful.

Colonies Rank Radicals.

London, Feb. 1.—Lloyd-George, speaking at York Monday night, referred to Hamar Greenwood, the Liberal candidate for York, as a brilliant colonial who is "championing liberty in York." The Yorkshire Herald, referring to this, says that Mr. Lloyd-George had not had time to ascertain that the people of York only and in Mr. Greenwood a very ordinary specimen of a Radical who poses as a representative of the colonies, and misrepresents them every time he speaks. Mr. Greenwood, in his speech, said it seemed strange to him that the colonies were Conservative in their sympathies. What was more, it was absolutely untrue; the self-governing colonies were rank Radicals.

To Cross Ice Flies.

St. John's, Nfld., Feb. 1.—Finance Minister Jackson was apprised yesterday by the authorities at Bay of Islands, that a strange light was visible Sunday night on Tweed Island at the mouth of the bay, which island is uninhabited. The crews of four American herring vessels which are frozen in believe the light to have been made by shipwrecked men, probably the crew of the Gloucester fishing vessel Perkins or Atlanta. The Finance Minister has ordered officials to take the necessary steps to solve the mystery. A party of men has been organized who will travel across the floes with dogs, sledges, boats and food, to rescue the men if they are unable to leave there otherwise.

One Legislature Prorogued.

Winnipeg, Feb. 1.—Sir Daniel MacMillan, Lieutenant-Governor, prorogued the Manitoba Legislature yesterday afternoon with customary formalities. The King's speech laid special stress on the negotiations to be inaugurated for the extension of Manitoba's boundaries west and north.

NEW ONTARIO RAILWAYS.

Canada-Middlesex and London and St. Clair Lines—Mills Presented in the House.

Ottawa, Feb. 1.—Mr. Calvert presented in the House yesterday the petition of George C. Thompson, manufacturer, William Meredith, C. E., William M. Smith, manufacturer, Joseph Montgomery, barrister, and James Paywood, commercial agent, all of Toronto, for a bill of incorporation as the Canada-Middlesex Railway Company, with power to construct an electric railway from Niagara Falls, Ont., through the Counties of Welland, Lincoln, Wentworth, Brant, Oxford and Middlesex to a point in or near the city of London. The headquarters of the company are to be in Toronto, its capital stock \$500,000, and power is asked to issue debentures to the extent of \$35,000 per mile.

The petition of the London & St. Clair Railway Company was also presented by Mr. Calvert. The petitioners, W. D. Matthews, Herb. C. Hammond, S. A. Hamilton, Henry Healy and Robert A. Smith, of Toronto, ask for a charter to build a standard gauge railway, from a point on the line of the Ontario & Quebec Railway, west of the city of London, to a convenient point on the St. Clair River, at or near Sarnia, between Sarnia and Lake St. Clair.

Bills Introduced.

Bills presented to Parliament yesterday were:

A bill to incorporate the Atlantic, Quebec & Western Railway—Mr. Gauvreau.

An act respecting the Molsons Bank—Mr. Ames. This bill provides for the redistribution of capital stock in \$100 shares, instead of \$50 shares.

An act to incorporate the St. Mary's & Western Ontario Railway Company—Mr. McIntyre.

An act respecting certain patents of the Canada Car Company—Mr. Demers.

An act respecting the Ottawa, Northern & Western Railway—Mr. Parmelee.

An act respecting certain patents of the Goodwin Car Company—Mr. Demers.

An act incorporating the Calgary, Red Deer & Battleford Railway Company—Mr. Logan.

An act incorporating the Moose Jaw & Edmonton Railway Company—Mr. Logan.

Mr. Fielding in Vienna.

Mr. Fitzpatrick gave notice of a resolution conferring special benefits on members of the superior court who may be appointed chairman of the Railway Commission.

Mr. Foster asked when the Minister of Finance and the Minister of the Interior would be in the House.

The Premier replied that he did not know when to expect Mr. Fielding, who, on account of a domestic matter, had been detained in Vienna.

Mr. Sifton, he said, would return to the capital about Feb. 15.

Mr. Fisher's Seed Bill.

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Hon. Lester B. Pearson Will Likely Form New Cabinet.

Montreal, Feb. 1.—It now looks as if Hon. S. N. Parent's tenure of office as Premier of Quebec had about closed. The report is that the Premier will hold his last Cabinet Council on Friday, when he will take leave of his colleagues and place his resignation in the hands of the Lieutenant-Governor, Hon. Lester B. Pearson, who returned from Ottawa yesterday, where he had been closeted with Sir Wilfrid Laurier, will no doubt be called upon to form a Government.

It appears that all of the old ministers will accept office under Mr. Gouin, except Hon. Mr. Robitaille, provincial secretary, who will be replaced by Gustave Tessier, M.P.P., for Rimouski.

Good Clothing

is more eloquent than words

Our Suits and Overcoats are cut on the lines approved by fashion, and a man wearing one proclaims in the most eloquent manner, and in no uncertain tone, without uttering a word—that he has a correct taste in dress, and that he is distinctly careful of his personal appearance.

SUITS, that are correct—\$5.00 to \$18.00

OVERCOATS, greatly reduced—\$3.95 to \$15.00

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ANOTHER PARIS BOMB.

But It Did Not Explode and the Police Are Silent—Eighteen French Anarchists Have Been Arrested.

Paris, Feb. 1.—Another bomb was discovered at 2 o'clock this morning in front of the Hotel Deux Mondes, in the Avenue de l'Opera. There was no explosion.

The authorities refuse any information.

French Anarchists Arrested.

Eighteen arrests have been made here in connection with the throwing of a bomb at a group of police and Republican Guards, after the meeting of the Social Revolutionists last night. Twelve of the suspects have been released and the others are held on suspicion. Special police surveillance has been established over the Russian Embassy. Among the men arrested the authorities have identified Francois, a well known professional anarchist and intimate associate of Emile Henry and Ravachol.

ROSS STILL HOLDS ON.

Announcement of Resignation Expected in a Day or Two.

Toronto, Feb. 1.—At the close of yesterday's meeting of the Provincial Cabinet, the press heard the familiar words from the Premier: "Nothing to-day." It is believed that it will take yet another day to finish the routine work of the various departments before resignation is decided on. Hon. W. A. Chaiton said that only necessary business would be transacted. The only absentees from the Council were Hon. Messrs. Gibson and Ewart.

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