

MANY TAILORS QUIT WORK

Over Two Hundred Journeymen Go on Strike to Secure an Advance of Ten Per Cent.

SEVERAL SHOPS GRANT DEMANDS

Indications of Unrest in Other Labor Circles in the City.

A large number of journeymen tailors are on strike. From 200 to 300 men are out; a considerable number of shops are involved, including six of the large King-street establishments.

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To Investors

Careful perusal of the following subscription offer will convince you that in purchasing stock of DR. SLOCUM, LIMITED, you invest in a proved, well-established and growing business, under the best of experienced management, and become owner of a security yielding handsome dividends regularly and steadily increasing in value.

Subscriptions Invited for Shares in the DR. SLOCUM, LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL, \$100,000.00. Divided into 1,000 Shares of \$100 Each. Par Value, as follows: 500 Shares of 6% Preferred Cumulative Stock \$50,000.00 500 Shares of Ordinary Stock at 100% Premium \$50,000.00

PROVISIONAL DIRECTORS:

H. H. TRENT, ESQ., Manager Fleischmann's Compressed Yeast. A. F. WEBSTER, ESQ., General Agent Dominion Steamship Line. L. C. OLMAN, ESQ., Manager Toronto Ferry Co. H. C. TOMLIN, ESQ., Proprietor Tomlin's Bakeries. L. S. LEVINE, ESQ., Manager The T. A. Slocum Chemical Co., Limited.

Solicitors: MACDONELL, McMASTER & GEARY. Bankers: THE IMPERIAL BANK OF CANADA. Auditor: WILTON C. REDDIS, F.O.A., President of the Institute of Chartered Accountants.

OFFICES AND LABORATORY: 179 King Street West, Toronto.

THE DR. SLOCUM, LIMITED, is being organized for the purpose of taking over, as a going concern, the well-known and thoroughly established business of The T. A. Slocum Chemical Company, Limited, which business has now been running and earning substantial profits in Canada for over seventeen years.

It is a generally acknowledged fact that there is no class of business so certain of profit-making as that of proprietary medicines; and with good reliable preparations and competent management, the profits are beyond what would be possible in almost any other line of business.

VALUABLE RIGHTS. The Company owns the exclusive rights to the use of the name of Dr. Slocum, in connection with proprietary medicines, and it might here be mentioned, as some indication of the value of these rights, that the name has been in use in the United States for upwards of fifty years, and it is well-known that the Company owning the rights to its use there has, during recent years, been making profits of hundreds of thousands of dollars annually. Among the preparations to be exclusively handled by this new Company are the following:

"PSYCHINE." A general remedy for consumption and all diseases of the throat and lungs. Has been used successfully in thousands of cases. Sold at \$1.50 and \$3 per bottle.

"DR. SLOCUM'S OXYGENIZED EMULSION OF COD LIVER OIL." A wonderful vitalizer and fresh and strength producer. Recommended for all forms of difficulty of breathing, wasting away of flesh and throat and lung troubles. Sold at 35c and \$1 per bottle.

"COLTSFOOTE EXPECTORANT." Highly recommended for all forms of colds, coughs, sore throat, influenza, hoarseness, loss of voice, whooping cough, and all diseases of the respiratory organs. Has been used and is being used in thousands of homes at the present time. Sold at 10c and 25c per bottle.

"DR. SLOCUM'S OXOVELL." Catarrh cure—the greatest of catarrh antiseptics. A positive cure for all forms of catarrh, cold in the head, hay fever and catarrhal deafness. Sold at 50c per box.

"LIEBIG'S FIT CURE." Highly recommended for all forms of epilepsy, fits, falling sickness, convulsions, and spasms. Sold at \$2 per bottle.

"LIEBIG'S ASTHMA CURE." Highly recommended as an absolute specific for asthma in any form. Sold at 50c per bottle.

In addition to the above there is a number of other preparations which have a very nice sale and which could be easily increased to large proportions.

MANAGEMENT. The new Company is fortunate in having on its Directorate well-known and successful business men, and in continuing the services of Mr. L. S. Levee as General Manager. Mr. Levee has been at the head of The T. A. Slocum Chemical Company, Limited, since its inception (and is also Secretary-Treasurer of The Proprietary Articles Association of Canada), which, in view of the condition to which he has brought the business (with limited capital), is a guarantee to investors that the business will be handled in the most judicious and advantageous manner. An idea of the soundness of the principles upon which it has been founded, and the high character of the business done under Mr. Levee's direction, may be had from the fact that no such thing as a bad debt has been contracted during its history.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS. With the highest confidence in the commercial soundness of the investment, notwithstanding the restrictions for stock as follows:

240 Shares Preferred Cumulative Stock at par; 80 Shares of Ordinary Stock at a Premium of 100 per cent.

TERMS OF PAYMENT. Ten per cent. on application; 15 per cent. on allotment; 25 per cent. in three months.

The Preferred Cumulative Stock is preferred both as to dividend and capital, and is to receive 6 per cent. cumulative dividend before any dividend payable on Ordinary Stock. After payment of such 6 per cent. on the Preferred Stock, 15 per cent. of the remaining profits are to be set aside to form a Reserve Fund, until twenty thousand dollars have been reached. Out of the remaining profits dividends up to 6 per cent. will be paid on the Ordinary Stock, after which the surplus will be used to pay dividends equally on both classes of Stock. Provided, however, that when the total amount of dividends in any one year on the Preferred Stock shall have reached 10 per cent., the remaining profits available after paying such 10 per cent. shall be payable in dividends on the Ordinary Stock.

Every purchaser of three shares of Preferred Cumulative Stock shall have the right to subscribe for one share of Ordinary Stock at 100 per cent. premium.

The right is reserved to allot a smaller number of shares than the amount subscribed.

For further information and forms of application for stock, call on or address

INDUSTRIALS AGENCY, LIMITED, Manning Chambers, TORONTO.

TO REDUCE THE ESTIMATES.

Financial Committee of the School Board to Lay Off \$15,000.

The Financial Committee of the School Board met yesterday to consider the reduction of the estimates for 1903, by the sum of \$15,000, in order to help the City Council to strike a 10 mill rate of general taxes.

Trustee Godfrey reported the result of the conference held recently between the Board of Control and a deputation of the School Board. He said the children had virtually agreed to make up any overdraft next year. He thought if the estimates were cut by the mentioned amount it would have a tendency toward economy, for the reason that the temptation to spend. This latter view was concurred in by Chairman Goodenham.

Trustee Lobb thought the fact of being able to cut down anything was tantamount to saying the board was somewhat extravagant. The committee finally decided to send on a recommendation to the board to reduce the estimates by \$12,000.

The Ontario Society of Artists have arranged for a reception on Saturday evening next at the rooms of the association, 165 West King-street, to which all members of local art leagues will be invited.

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BRITISH NAVY ESTIMATES

Expenditure of Nearly Two Hundred Millions Provokes Some Observations.

MANY NEW VESSELS ARE ARRANGED

Appropriation Calculated to Keep Power of Empire Supreme on Sea.

London, March 16.—Admiralty Secretary Arnold-Forster introduced the navy estimates for 1903-4 providing for an expenditure of \$170,184,206, in the House of Commons today. In the course of an explanatory statement, the Secretary remarked that the estimates were unparalleled in peace or war, and, as a private citizen, he could not help regretting that the great competition and rivalry in the matter of naval armaments continued to exist. He mentioned the fact that the estimates were unparalleled in peace or war, and, as a private citizen, he could not help regretting that the great competition and rivalry in the matter of naval armaments continued to exist.

LIBERALS WOULDN'T APPLAUD.

Maintained Significant Silence When Chamberlain Re-Entered House.

London, March 16.—Colonial Secretary Chamberlain's re-entry in the House of Commons today was signified by an unusually cordial reception from the Conservatives and the Liberal Unionists, who maintained a significant silence. Volleys of cheers from the government benches greeted the Colonial Secretary as he entered the House, and lasted several minutes. Mr. Chamberlain looked most worn-out, but obviously was in the best of spirits, as he rose to inform a questioner that the House would be adjourned at 7 o'clock to-morrow, and that he had had no time to read them, much less call of them.

AT OSGOODE HALL.

The winding-up of the Dominion Fence Company, Limited, has resulted in an unusual manner. The creditors of the company will receive the full amount of their claims, and the company will have sufficient money left to carry on its business.

Before Chief Justice Meredith, yesterday morning, action was taken by the Ontario Land and Survey Commission to force Alfred Rogers of Hamilton to accept some property in the Township of Barrow, which was being offered to him for the sale of this property to Rogers, but he afterwards took objection to the sale.

Another similar case is over a contract between William K. Mary and Carrie Miller, as vendors, and Charles J. and Catherine R. Kelly, for the sale of property in Hamilton. The court is asked to decide as to the title.

Justice Meredith is also asked to decide as to the title of a property in the Township of Barrow, which was being offered to him for the sale of this property to Rogers, but he afterwards took objection to the sale.

Object to Anglican Grant. The financial committee of the Anglican Association met yesterday and appointed a deputation to wait upon the Board of Control, objecting to the grant of \$100,000 to the Church on the island. It was thought that the city should accept taxes from the Anglican Board of Church, or protest against exemption in the legislature, and still grant any concession to any one denomination.

Weekly Association. The weekly meeting of the Methodist Ministerial Association was held yesterday morning. A committee composed of Rev. J. A. Rankin, Dr. Chown, Dr. Jones, Rev. M. A. Pearson, Dr. Cleaver, Dr. Chambers and Dr. Treleven were appointed to prepare a plan to forward the proposed payment of \$100,000 to the church on the island.

Fatal Boiler Explosion. Toledo, O., March 16.—In a boiler explosion at the East Toledo Mills of the Republic Iron and Steel Company today, one man was killed and two persons were injured. The boiler, which was 40 feet high, weighing a ton and a half, burst into shrapnel, hurling it over the tops of twenty houses.

Procured an Impersonator. Before Judge McCorimmon yesterday morning, J. J. Clark pleaded guilty to the charge of procuring Joseph McNally to impersonate his father, Henry, at the coroner's inquest on the 10th inst. Clark was fined \$100 or 30 days in jail. The charges against Jim Fravelly were adjourned till April 9th.

His Aired Death. Chicago, March 16.—With a clothes-line over his neck, the end of which was made fast to the window ledge, Henry Fike, 57 years old, jumped from a window on the third floor of a boarding house last night. The rope with which Fike thought he was almost broke, and he fell to a stone wall in front of the building, and was killed.

A Royal Funeral. Honolulu, March 16.—(By Pacific Cable.) The funeral of the late Prince Albert Kuliaka yesterday was conducted with royal pomp. The hearse was drawn by over 100 men. The prince was the representative of the Kamehameha Dynasty, and his death is deeply deplored by the native population.

Emergency Fund Doing Well. The financial committee of the Methodist Mission Board reports very favorably on the money received up to March 14. The fund has been greatly augmented by several legacies. The fund for emergencies has been increasing very rapidly, now reaching the sum of \$12,000.

"Australia." Rev. Carey Ward will deliver a lecture on "Australia" in St. James' Spokenburg P. A. at 8.15 p.m. on Friday evening. The lecture will be illustrated with slides.

The Canadian Railway Accident Insurance COMPANY OF OTTAWA, CANADA.

D. MURPHY, M. P. P., President. JOHN EMO, General Manager. J. P. DICKSON, Secretary-Treasurer.

The eighth annual meeting of the above company was held on Monday, March 2nd, at the head office, Ottawa. There were present the following shareholders:

Joseph Fahey, Winnipeg; W. G. Bronson, Harold Green, J. A. Hibbard, Robert Orr, John Ryan, D. Kelly, V. Bolwert, M. Doherty, W. J. Fairbairn, Dr. J. D. Courtenay, Ernest Pitt, A. J. Barr, Denis Murphy, M.P.P.; C. G. Smith, John EMO, P. Dickson, J. H. Dudley, Ottawa; Alonzo Grant, Montreal; Charles Pope, Rat Portage; W. H. Wood, Carleton Place; Thomas Lowry, St. Thomas; J. A. Lescarbeau, Quebec; George Mills, Toronto; Ash, Kennedy, Winnipeg.

The chair was occupied by Mr. Denis Murphy, M.P.P., President, who presented the following report:

Your Directors beg to submit herewith their eighth Annual Report, together with the various statements of last year's business. You will note that the Company has again increased its volume of business to a gratifying extent.

The amount of business written is as follows: Insurance, \$17,271,974; premiums, \$17,381,787; showing an increase over 1901 of, insurance, \$2,808,789, and premiums, \$39,544.64.

The cost of securing business was 37.29 per cent. in 1902, as against 40.55 per cent. in 1901. This reduction in cost is very satisfactory. As mentioned in last year's report, the By-laws of the Company were re-organized and placed in permanent form to meet the requirements of the Company's business, and a printed copy of the same was forwarded to each shareholder.

You will note, by the report, that substantial provision has been made in the way of "Contingency Account" and "Reserve Fund," for possible losses and liability on unearned premiums, after which there remains a handsome balance at the credit of "Profit and Loss" Account. Your Directors have declared a dividend at the rate of six per cent. on the paid-up capital stock of the Company, payable on and after March 14th, 1903.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

REVENUE. Premiums \$161,973.37. Less rebates and re-insurance \$2,552.33. Less cost of collecting outstanding premiums \$5,864.84. Total \$153,556.20.

EXPENDITURE. Claims paid \$64,936.80. Commissions \$30,403.22. Expenses \$11,254.17. Salaries \$6,209.16. Total \$112,803.35.

PROFIT AND LOSS. Surplus \$40,752.85. By Balance at credit December 31st, 1901 \$23,487.87. Surplus for 1902 \$37,266.55. Total \$60,754.42.

ASSETS. In hand at Head Office \$458.00. Bank of Ottawa (Current Acct.) \$3,704.18. Bank of Ottawa (Savings Acct.) \$20,000.00. Total \$24,162.26.

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The adoption of the report was moved by Mr. Walter G. Bronson, and seconded by Dr. J. D. Courtenay, and unanimously carried.

A hearty vote of thanks was tendered to the directors and management for their efficient services during the year.

The following shareholders were elected directors for the current year: Denis Murphy, M.P.P.; H. K. Egan, William Anderson, Thomas Birkenhead, P. David Kelly, Robert Orr, C. J. Smith, A. J. Barr, J. A. Hibbard of Ottawa; Joseph A. Lescarbeau, Quebec; Thomas McKenna, St. John, N. B.; Alonzo Grant, Montreal; Charles Pope, Rat Portage, Ont.; Ash, Kennedy, Winnipeg; E. B. Eddy, Hull; George Mills, Toronto; W. H. Wood, Carleton Place; Thomas Lowry, St. Thomas; Joseph Fahey, Winnipeg; Albert MacLaren, Buckingham; and Messrs. James Gibson and W. H. Connor were appointed auditors.

At a meeting of the Directors, held subsequently, the following officers were re-elected: Denis Murphy, M. P. P., President; H. K. Egan, First Vice-President; A. J. Barr, second Vice-President. The Executive Board is composed of the President, First and Second Vice-Presidents, with Messrs. C. J. Smith and William Anderson.

Mr. John EMO was re-elected General Manager, and Mr. John P. Dickson, Secretary-Treasurer.

JOHN A. MACDONALD, District Agent, The Canadian Railway Accident Insurance Co., 44 Victoria St., Toronto.

ACCUSED OF 34 DEATHS. Yearo Herb Doctor in Philadelphia to Face This Terrible Charge.

Philadelphia, Pa., March 16.—The police authorities have directed the opening of thirty-four graves, having secured evidence which leads them to believe that George Hossey, the negro herb doctor, is responsible for at least that many deaths. Hossey is in jail as an accessory to the murder of William G. Danze, whose widow is charged with having administered to her husband slow poison, furnished by the negro.

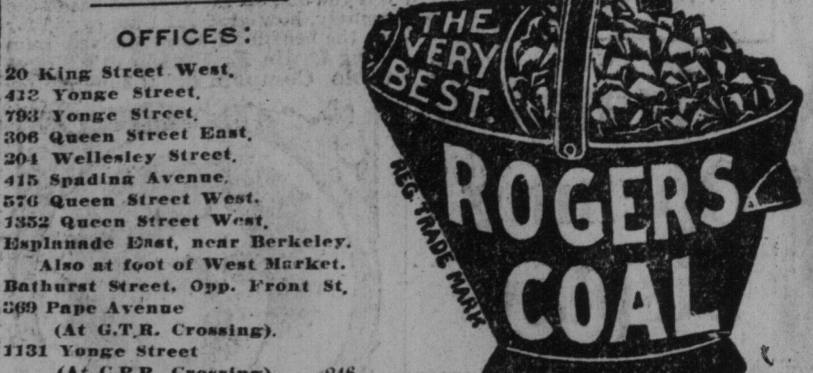
Buffalo, Detroit and Chicago. For all the above points the Great Trunk International Limited, leaving Toronto at 4 p.m. daily, will be found to be the best route. (See parlor cars, sleeping and breakfast, etc.)

AN HONEST DOCTOR. World-Famous Specialist Asks No Pay Until a Cure Has Been Effected.

Another Mine Disaster. Springfield, Ill., March 16.—Five men were killed and a sixth was badly injured in an explosion at Cardiff coal mine. This is the second catastrophe at the colliery within a few days.

Harrison for Mayor. Chicago, March 16.—Mayor Carter H. Harrison was nominated for a fourth term in the Democratic city convention here today.

BEST QUALITY COAL AND WOOD



THE ELIAS ROGERS CO. LIMITED

Coal and Wood. At Lowest Market Rates. OFFICES: 6 King Street East, 725 Yonge Street, 342 Yonge Street, 200 Wellesley Street, Cor. Spadina Ave. and College, 568 Queen Street West.

The Conger Coal Co. LIMITED.

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HOUSEKEEPING is relieved of half its burdens by using

E. B. EDDY'S INDURATED FIBREWARE, TUBS, PAILS, ETC.

Being Light, Strong and Durable and made in one piece with no hoops to fall off, their superiority is at once apparent. For sale by all first-class dealers.

THE DOMINION BREWERY CO. LIMITED.

WHITE LABEL ALE

Their other brands, which are very fine, are: INDIA ALE, AMBER, JUBILEE, CROWN SPECIAL, XXX PORTER, HALF AND HALF.

AN EXTRAORDINARY VALUE A \$40 BELT FOR \$5.

COSGRAVE'S ALE, PORTER, HALF AND HALF Are Without Peers

FISH CAVERS and EATERS

RICE LEWIS & SON, LIMITED.

PATENTS PROMPTLY SECURED

MAPLE SYRUP

HOFBRAU Liquid Extract of Malt

REINHARDT & CO., TORONTO, ONT.

We have the reputation of having the best first-class High Quality Coal. Try a ton. P. Burns & Co.

New York County and Suburbs

Electrical Current From Humber River Big Inducement for Factories.

ARCH. CAMPBELL, M.P., ON GAMEY

Toronto Junction, March 16.—Now that Toronto Junction is supplied with electrical current from the Humber River, there is another inducement to factories to locate here, apart from being a great railway center, which in itself is the greatest inducement. Quite recently the Davis' lace and braids factory located on the city side of Royce-avenue, and run their machinery by power from the Humber. Now a firm from a large inland town has purchased the factory on Vine-street, known as the "Lambert" factory, from the National Bank, and will manufacture carved wood-ware. This firm would not have located in Toronto Junction had it not been for the fact that cheap power can be purchased here.

Archibald Campbell, M.P., in his address to the Liberal Association at the meeting on Saturday night said that R. Gamey, M.L.A. for Manitoba "is a self-confessed liar, a snake, a snake, a snake." Gamey will speak at the banquet in honor of J. W. D. McEwen, M.L.A., on Friday night, and from the number of applications received for tickets it is likely he will be invited to attend.

Rev. F. H. DuVernay last night proceeded from the text, "Have no fellowship with the unfruitful works of darkness," and his utterances were directed against the drinking habit, personal and social impurity and immorality. He commenced yesterday on the construction of a water main on West Eglinton-avenue.

Rev. D. H. Ross will lecture on the "Age of Gold" at the Deer Park Presbyterian Church on Thursday night, and will proceed to all the principal places by singing under the direction of Mrs. W. Fulton of London.

Credit sale of farm stock and implements, including a horse, on the premises of J. H. Henry, Friday, March 20th, property of James Henry.

Spring in Hatology

Spring in the hat line is the largest season of its yearly history. This season it is extensive because of the many new fashions introduced in both English and American designs of Silks, Derbys and Alpines.

We have received our complete assortment for spring, including those by the great Dunlap for whom we are sole Canadian agents.

Silk Hats, \$5 to \$8
Derby Hats, \$2 to \$5
Alpine Hats, \$2 to \$5

W. D. Dineen Co. Limited.
Car. Yonge & Temperance Streets, Toronto.

GETTING NEAR THE TAX RATE LOOKS LIKE NINETEEN MILLS

Board of Control at a Long Session Deals Liberally With Charities and Passes Recommendations for Increases of Salaries of Some Civic Officials.

On Wednesday the Board of Control will have an accurate idea of what the tax rate for 1903 will be. The controllers practically finished up their preliminary onslaught upon the estimates of the various departments seven hours. The charities and salary increases had been reserved until the last, and it was expected that the knife would be energetically used in both classes, but the charity grants were endorsed pretty generally on the same basis as last year, and increases in salaries to a number of civic officials were passed. The controllers feel confident that when Treasurer Coady gives them a summary of the revised estimates on Wednesday the coveted nineteen mill rate will be in sight. If it isn't they have a few items to slash at in order to make it that way.

Many Deputations.

When the meeting convened yesterday afternoon the board room was crowded with the kind ladies and the good men who are the backbone of the many charities in Toronto. They all had a satisfactory report of their stewardship, and many expressed a desire for an increased grant. Only in one case was the efficiency of an institution challenged, and that was the Prisoners' Aid Association.

Salary Increases Approved.

The salary increases which passed include the names of deserving officials who have been long in the city's service. The increases are not so large as recommended by the heads of departments, but they are sufficient to show that faithful service is appreciated.

Argument Brought Out for the Increase of Salaries and More Particularly in regard to the requests for increased grants to charitable institutions was the unanswerable contention that the price of living has very greatly increased. This makes a substantial difference in the cost of maintenance of some of the homes.

Board dealt with the estimates of the High School Board and the Technical School Board in a rather generous spirit. In the latter case the controllers cut off salary increases.

"I think we have 19 mills in sight," Mr. Mayor, and if we haven't the treasurer can show us how much we have to cut and we will do the cut," remarked Ald. Richardson shortly before the close of the meeting.

Work Among Prisoners.

Hammerton Cassel, K.C., spoke for the Prisoners' Aid Association, who he said, had attended to 145 girls in Miss O'Keefe's home last year, and had only received \$300 from the city. The Mayor intimated that the Salvation Army, being a religious organization, had had to do something to warrant the opinion. Mr. Cassel said Mrs. Bellamy had carried on the work for years before the city gave any financial assistance, and this was corroborated by Staff Sergeant McWhitt of the police force, who said she would have to give up the work unless it receives better financial aid.

Mr. Mayor intimated that there could be no increase in last year's grant of \$300, but Controller Richardson said he would sooner investigate the work before giving anything at all. He thought there was too much overlapping in this sort of work, and that a few salaries might be lopped off.

Mr. Cassel said the association was

Fairweather's

More Style and Most Value

in this spring's new hat styles for men that we've ever had to show you—to-day we put a double emphasis on Black Derbys—in new English and American blocks—at

2.00 and 3.00

New English Raincoats —10.00 to 22.00.
Umbrellas—1.00.

J. W. T. FAIRWEATHER & CO.,
81-86 YONGE ST.

MONEY TO LOAN

The Toronto Security Co. "LOANS"
Room 10 Lawlor Building, 8 King St. W.

Don't Get Typhoid Fever

Distilled Water. It is free from germs and is the best for drinking.

J. J. McLaughlin, Chemist
BY CHAS. M. HENDERSON & CO.

Liquidation Auction Sale

of the entire stock of
The R. H. Lear Co.
comprising a valuable collection of

Gas, Electric and Combination Fixtures

Brackets, Globes, Combination Safe (Taylor), Shop Furnishings, Etc., on

Thursday, the 19th March

at the show room,
No. 19 Richmond St. West

Under instructions from the trustee.
The above offers a grand opportunity without reserve.

Sale at 11 o'clock sharp.

CHAS. M. HENDERSON & CO.,
Tel. 2355. Auctioneers.

Aid Society will also receive \$800. Same as last year.

On behalf of the Frances Willard Home, C. A. Stevens pointed out that last year 130 girls were looked after. The same grant of \$350 will be given this year.

Children's Aid Society.

Ald. Sheppard, Ald. Hubbard and Mr. J. S. Macdonald made a strong plea for more money for the Children's Aid Society, but it was unsuccessful, and the society will get \$2500, the same as last year.

IS THERE ANYTHING MORE UNSIGHTLY THAN TO SEE A PERSON WITH THEIR FACE COVERED WITH PIMPLES?

IS THERE ANYTHING MORE UNCOMFORTABLE AND PAINFUL THAN TO HAVE BOILS?

BAD BLOOD

Is the Cause of Boils and Pimples.

Bad Blood can be Cured by Burdock Blood Bitters.

Mr. Wm. O'Malley, Madawaska, Ont., writes:—I used to be terribly bothered with boils and pimples, caused by bad blood and run-down system. I took two bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters, and it made my skin nice and clear, and built up my constitution. Any person using it will never be bothered with skin diseases.

THE SIMPSON COMPANY, LIMITED

Directors—J. W. Flavell, A. E. Ames, H. E. Fudge. March 17th

Store Closes Every Evening at 5.30.

Two Splendid Clothing Events.

Men's \$14.00 Suits for \$6.95
Men's \$12.00 Rain Coats, \$7.95

The Suits are the balance of that large under-priced purchase which caused such a sensational rush to the Men's Store one morning not very long ago. They sold at 6.95 that morning. They sell at 5.95 to-morrow. Nice Suits for spring—light in color, many of them, medium in weight—Easter-time Suits.

Men's Fine Spring Suits, consisting of Scotch, English and Canadian Tweeds, in a very large range of patterns, fashionable new colorings in light and dark shades, also some blue worsted finished sacques, made up in the popular single and double-breasted styles, first-class linings and trimmings and tailored to fit, sizes 34-44, regular 8.00, 10.00, 10.50, 11.00, 12.50 and 14.00. your choice Wednesday. 5.95

Rain Coats were never so popular. This is their exact season, too. Spring coat or a waterproof—equally serviceable in both capacities. Here we have \$10.50 and \$12.00 Coats for \$7.95 to-morrow.

75 only Men's Rain Coats, dark Oxford grey Cravenette, also genuine fawn covers and tweed effects, cut in the long Raglanette style with vertical pockets and cuffs on the sleeves, some are half lined with piped seams, others are lined throughout with fine Italian cloth, perfect fitting, sizes 34 to 44, regular 10.50 and 12.00, to clear Wednesday at 7.95

65c Socks, 25c.

20 doz Men's Very Finest Cashmere Half Hose, plain black, fancy stripes and checks and plain and ribbed natural shade, our very best socks that were selling to-day at 60c and 65c pair, no phone or mail orders can be filled, Wednesday morning, per pair.... .25

Men's \$1.50 Shirts, 60c.

You remember that big sale we held a week or so ago of W. G. & R. Shirts. Here is the balance of them, together with broken lines from our own stock. Those that missed fire the first time have a splendid second chance now.

370 Men's Fine Fancy Colored Shirts, made from imported Cambrics, Chambrays, Zephyrs and Madras cloths, made both long and short sleeve, all well made and perfect fitting, large, roomy shirts. This lot was cleared from Canada's largest shirt manufacturer and at the prices they were bought we can give you a regular 1.75 and 1.50 shirt for 60c. On sale Wednesday while they last at 60c. Sizes 14 to 17 1/2. Yonge Street Window.

The Great \$3.50 Shoe for Men

Look in the men's store window any day this week—the window just north of the door of the Richmond street wing. You'll see there a convincing demonstration of the great \$3.50 shoe for men. You will see the famous twenty-two styles, the most up-to-date shapes in men's footwear to-day. You will see every component part of the Victor displayed to the light of day—from the insole to the silk thread used in the lining. "A \$5 shoe for \$3.50" all through in every part.

50c Wall Paper, 12 1/2c.

981 rolls Embossed Wall Papers, in lots of 10 to 50 rolls, comprising some of the choice designs of the season, beautiful colorings, suitable for any room or hall, regular price 20c to 50c, per single roll, Wednesday, 12 1/2c.

Wednesday's Groceries.

Choice Clear Alaska Clover Honey, best possible quality, regular 60c, 5 lb. pails, Wednesday, 49c.

Half-Priced Military Brushes.

A large number of Wood Back Military Hair Brushes, mostly made by the celebrated firm of G. B. Kent & Sons, London, England, will be offered at exactly half price on Wednesday; these brushes contain the very best bristles obtainable, as Messrs. Kent will use none but the best in their factory. They are now sold at \$2 each, or \$4 per pair, on Wednesday exactly half price, \$1 each, 2.00 per pair. Toilet Department—Near Queen-street entrance.

Our Greatest Curtain Sale.

Already we have sold more Nottingham Curtains in the Sale we inaugurated on Monday than would form many a retailer's entire stock. Already we are assured of one thing—that this Sale is not only the biggest affair of the kind we ever had in this store, but the most successful, 15,000 pairs of underpriced Curtains offer almost unlimited choosing. There is ample choice left, ample opportunity for the most tasteful of our customers to save part of the cost of their spring re-furnishing. Here is a list of the grades of Curtains included in this voluminous under-bought assortment:

40c Lace Curtains, 29c | 1.50 Lace Curtains, 1.19
50c Lace Curtains, 39c | 1.75 Lace Curtains, 1.39
60c Lace Curtains, 49c | 2.00 Lace Curtains, 1.49
65c Lace Curtains, 59c | 2.25 Lace Curtains, 1.69
75c Lace Curtains, 69c | 2.50 Lace Curtains, 1.89
1.00 Lace Curtains, 89c | 4.00 Lace Curtains, 2.39
1.25 Lace Curtains, 99c

Three Carpet Items Also

\$1.25 Wilton Velvet Carpet for 80c.
1100 yards Wilton Velvet Carpet, 27 inches wide, some patterns are made in the double width, a large range of patterns to choose from, suitable for any room, in shades of red, blue, green, regular 1.00 and 1.25, Wednesday, 80c.

65c Tapestry Carpet for 42c.
2100 yards Good Quality Tapestry Carpet, 27 inches wide, a large range of new patterns and new colorings of crimson, green, brown and fawn, suitable for any bedroom, regular 50c and 55c, on sale Wednesday, 43c.

100 Bales Japanese Matting for \$8.99.
100 Bales Japanese Matting, 30 inches wide, all reversible patterns in fancy designs, all shades, 40 yards in each bale, regular 10.00 per bale, on sale Wednesday, per bale for, 8.99.

65c Japanese Matting for 42c.
2100 yards Good Quality Japanese Matting, 27 inches wide, a large range of new patterns and new colorings of crimson, green, brown and fawn, suitable for any bedroom, regular 50c and 55c, on sale Wednesday, 43c.