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This Sale means a general clearance in all departments and a more determined effort to hurry out all goods before going back to our new store.

LINEN SALE.

This means much to the house-keepers of this city. The enormous business of the last few weeks has been our special values.

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COMMERCIAL MATTERS.

What is Going on in the Business World—The Market News.

The market for cotton fabrics, prints and collars is firmer than it was a week ago. Last year 59 ocean going steamers were engaged exclusively in the banana trade.

A shoe firm in Toledo, Ohio, has traced the depredations of mice, in greenbacks and other paper money which have amounted to \$20,000 in four years.

The Pennsylvania railroad has begun to import railway ties from South America. They are made of the moose wood of British Guiana, which it is claimed, lasts fifty years, while the usual sleepers last only ten years.

According to the Daily Trade Bulletin, of Chicago, the 98th cheese factory in Canada was built in 1904. In 1874 Canada exported 6,000,000 pounds of this product, the United States \$7,000,000 pounds. In 1890 Canadian exports had increased to 40,000,000 pounds, those of the United States to \$17,500,000 pounds.

A very small quantity of hay and straw is being brought into the city, owing doubtless to the bad condition of the roads. There is scarcely any demand for it here.

Small Demand. Four loads of straw were taken back home yesterday, the farmers who brought them in not receiving a single bid.

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THE CIGARS WERE SEIZED.

THEY WERE CLAIMED BY THREE PARTIES.

And Now Interesting Developments Are Expected Regarding the Stock-Death of the Founder Of a Business.

Montreal, Feb. 8.—Robert Forzythe, the founder and head of a large marble business, died this morning after a four months' illness, at the age of seventy-four. He was born in Thurso, Scotland, in 1825, and came to Canada early in life and established a successful business. He was highly esteemed in business and social circles and was a member of St. Paul's Presbyterian church.

Special Officer O'Grady, of the Canadian customs service, has seized a trunk containing 6,000 cigars, which came from the United States over the New York Central railway and was found at Windsor station.

KILLED GUARDS. Women Prisoners Escape But Are Recaptured. St. Petersburg, Feb. 8.—An investigation of the report, published by a news agency yesterday, that there had been a wholesale jail delivery at the female prison at Smolensk, and that the women had killed thirty-eight guards while escaping, converting the prison into a shambles, turns out to have been a gross exaggeration.

TOM JOHNSON TRAINING. For The Democratic Presidential Candidacy. Boston, Feb. 8.—Irving Winslow, of the anti-imperialist league, is back from Washington where he went to convey a Filibuster petition to senator Patterson. He brings important news.

WATCHING FOR NILE FLOOD. Egypt's Irrigation Department Anticipates A Small Rise. Cairo, Feb. 8.—The Nile, on the flood of which the crops of the country depend, is causing anxiety to the farmers and fellahs.

A Graduate Was There. Woodstock Sentinel-Review. Maj. Leland, who has captured a part of Delaney's command, is a Canadian, and a graduate of the Royal military college at Kingston.

Complaints About Meat Contract. London, Feb. 8.—The conduct of the war office in giving a meat contract for the troops in South Africa to Bergl is exciting a good deal of comment. It appears that the tender was accepted on the understanding that some company would carry it out, and exception is taken to this transfer.

He Isn't A Candidate. Dallas, Tex., Feb. 8.—In an interview at Fort Worth, Henry Watterson, of the Louisville Courier-Journal, said: "I would as quickly try to predict crop conditions of 1907 as to predict political conditions of that year."

A Maritime Problem Solved. London, Feb. 8.—The British admiralty reports that successful experiments have been conducted in coating battleships at sea by the new appliances, and that the problem is considered to be solved.

'Twas All A Bluff. New York, Feb. 8.—The vivisection sensation, due to the announcement that Dr. Russell would allow himself to be cut to pieces in the interest of science, has all been dispelled by the doctor's announcement that it was all a bluff.

Carroll Will Succeed Fitzpatrick. Ottawa, Feb. 8.—Lord Minto will, doubtless, be asked to approve of the appointment of Henry George Carroll, member of Kamouraska, as solicitor-general, in succession to Hon. Charles Fitzpatrick.

Talnoe's Daughter Engaged. Washington, Feb. 8.—Rev. T. De Witt Talnoe announces the engagement of his daughter, Miss, to Clarence F. Wyckoff, Ithaca, N.Y.

J. E. Dalrymple, assistant to the manager of the Grand Trunk railway, will become the general freight agent of the Central Vermont railway.

IN LABOR'S INTERESTS.

A Bill To Facilitate The Settlement Of Strikes.

Toronto, Feb. 8.—There were two important discussions in the legislature yesterday. The first arose out of Mr. Preston's bill, which has in view the facilitating of the settlement of labor disputes by the intervention of the secretary of public works and the premier heartily endorsed the bill.

God Save The King. At a dinner on the yacht of a prominent member of New York society an Englishman who was present on Sir Thomas Lipton's yacht when he was entertaining King Edward, was discussing the accident which on that occasion seriously threatened the lives of all on board.

Gay Times In New Orleans. New Orleans, La., Feb. 8.—Every hotel in the city is crowded, and its rooms engaged in advance, every arriving train is packed, and the promenade is for the largest crowd ever present in the Mardi Gras season.

Newborn Notes. Newboro, Feb. 5.—James Vallier has moved back to Newboro; he had been keeping the boarding house and working for John Stinson at his mica mines.

Gain From Money Orders. Boston Daily Advertiser. The most remarkable thing in connection with the post office department is that every year hundreds of drawn money orders are made payable to the post office.

Defeated At Watertown. At eleven o'clock last night, after having been installed for several hours in a snow bank between Cape Vincent and Watertown, the Y.M.C.A. basketball team reached the city.

Difficult To Solve. The Pinkerton detectives have not as yet advanced further than the local police discoveries in connection with the disappearance of the three corpses from St. Mary's vault.

Officers To Be Decorated. The undermentioned officers of the Canadian forces will be recommended to have conferred upon them the colonial auxiliary forces' officers' decorations: Lieut.-Col. T. Bog, 16th regiment; Lieut.-Col. R. Cox, 47th regiment; Lieut.-Col. H. Hunter, late 47th regiment; Maj. J. E. Mabee, 47th regiment.

Wants To Come Here. Thomas G. Love, Cement City, Mich., who claims to head a syndicate that purports erecting a smelter in Kingston, has again written Mayor Shaw with respect to the proposal.

On The Wrong Track. Principal Grant's second letter appears in today's Globe. We will publish it on Monday. The doctor is convinced the prohibitionists are on the wrong track.

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INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

PARAGRAPHS PICKED UP BY OUR BUSY REPORTERS.

The Spies of Every Day Life—What the People are Talking About—Nothing Escapes Attention. The quick-witted man will be slow to anger. Reputation is the name; character the nature.

Try Charm coffee, put up in one-half lb. packages, guaranteed pure. Secretary McMillan is a brother of Mrs. R. B. Bowie, University avenue.

Freeman Britton has been elected chairman of the Gananoke board of education. The Allan line steamer Ionian, from Liverpool, arrived at Halifax 10 p.m. on Friday.

Coupons good for double stamps on Friday and Saturday this week at Mullin's grocery. The preliminary trial of Walter Gordon, the Whitewater murderer suspect, will commence at Boissevain next Tuesday.

Miss Smythe, of Kingston, in a pretty blue gown, was at a gay social function in Osgrade Hall, Toronto, last night. Miss Frances Sullivan, in a tuck gown of mousseline de soie, was at the children's hospital ball, in Ottawa, on Thursday night.

William Drury, coal and wood merchant, has purchased from William Carroll the large house and lot at 290 Queen street.

The Hamilton, Ont., trades and labor council has decided to petition the government against assisting immigration to Canada.

Owing to the attitude of the powers and the Boer leaders, the Dutch government is now firmly determined to abandon the Boer cause.

The boys had a lively game of hockey this morning on the lake front. The Maple Leafs defeated the Shamrocks by eleven to six.

A convention of prohibitionists of the province of Ontario to consider the present situation will be held in Toronto on February 25th. Particulars have not yet been announced.

It is announced that A. Macdonald, wholesale grocer, of Winnipeg, has purchased the wholesale grocery store of Thomas Earl, Victoria, B.C., who assigned recently. The amount paid was close on \$20,000.

We are having a very successful brush sale, the inducements are large, and the public are taking advantage of it. 20 per cent. discount from our already low prices on all kinds of hair, tooth, nail, shaving brushes, etc., E. C. Mitchell.

Current History for February presents a record of the world's events during December last, and closes the eleventh volume of this valuable chronicle. Sample copy free on application. Address Current History company, Boston, Mass.

The annual assembly of the Mandamus club, conducted by the Misses Daly, was held in the Whig hall last evening. The attendance was large, and the decorations and refreshments beyond criticism.

The Manitoba government has decided to appeal to the country at the same time as it takes the referendum, probably in May. Hugh Armstrong will be taken into the new cabinet after the election as provincial secretary and the Hon. Dr. McPadden, will retire as provincial veterinarian.

Foolish Social Reforms. New York Tribune. The social reform that compels a woman who does not want to call on a woman who does not want to see her is a foolish and wrong crystallization of an originally praiseworthy desire to maintain friendly relations with society.

The ethical culture society, he was speaking of the philosopher's "Crucial Living," and had just quoted Spinoza's maxim that "One should speak and act in accordance with the notions of the majority, insofar as they do not interfere with the purpose to progress toward a higher life."

"Blind fanaticism," said the lecturer, "is one of the most injurious things in life. A sane conformity in non-essentials is the basis of strength, when non-conformity in essentials becomes necessary. Some social rules are hurtful and wrong; some are insignificant and some are wise and necessary, but if one breaks all rules he is regarded as a crank, and when real principle is involved his attitude has no influence upon others."

"Modern socialism might well take a hint from Spinoza's idea that the social organization and body politic should exist for helping each individual to reach perfection," said Mr. Griggs. "To help all to realize the highest in each is perfect socialism, combined with absolute individualism. Analyzed further, it means that there can be no good for one that is not good for all, and that nothing is good for the community that is not good for every man, woman and child composing the community. Any philosophy opposed to this is false, and must end in a hopeless pessimism."

Blue Gum Timber. A great deal of interest centres in the cargo of blue gum timber which has arrived at Dover, Eng., from Australia for the national harbor works. Most of the barrels, or stacks, as they are termed, weigh as much as ten tons each and range between 100 feet and 200 feet long. This kind of timber has been chosen for piling work, owing to the fact that it will not rot, so that, in the event of the piles being washed away in heavy gales they go to the bottom, and there is no danger of their ramming a ship like ordinary banks of timber.

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JOHN LAIDLAW & SON. SATURDAY ATTRACTIONS AT THE LOCKETT SHOE STORE. Sale of Odds and Ends. A table of Empress \$3 and \$2.50 Laced and Buttoned Boots NOW \$2. A table Ladies' Fine Dongola Kid and Box Calf Lace Boots. All sizes reduced to \$1.50.

Social For Young Men. A social and concert for clerks and young men was held at the Y.M.C.A. building last evening. A large number were in attendance. The program consisted of photograph exhibitions, solos, etc. Cake, coffee, etc., were served by a number of the members of the ladies' auxiliary. The affair was under the auspices of the young men's gymnasium class.