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Headache and relieve all the troubles incident to a bilious state of the system, such as indigestion, nervousness, dizziness, and all the ailments which result therefrom. Write for most reliable account of these pills.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

SEALED TENDERS, ADDRESSED TO THE UNDERSIGNED, MARKED ON THE ENVELOPE "Tenders for Construction," will be received at the office of the Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway at Ottawa, until twelve o'clock noon on Monday, the 12th day of March, 1900, for the work required for the construction, in accordance with the plans, profiles and specifications of said Commissioners, for the following sections of the Transcontinental Railway: the said work to be completed on or before the first day of September, 1902.

Slender, smooth-faced, almost boyish looking; smiling but ever alert; courteous but determined, there is sitting in the speaker's chair of the New York Assembly, a young man whose political rise has been phenomenal and whose future seems very beyond compare.

This is James W. Wadsworth, Jr., who, at 28 years of age, was suggested by President Roosevelt and Governor Higgins, and chosen by his associates to occupy the most important and trying legislative position in the country, next to that of the speaker of the national house of representatives.

Not only was young Wadsworth's successful candidacy for this high place a decided triumph for the young men in politics, but it crumpled to wreck one of the most powerful and dictatorial machines ever known in machine-ridden New York.

Others have entered public life at an early age, but there have been few such spectacular bounds to prominence. President Roosevelt, at twenty-five, was republican leader of the same assembly. Mr. Wadsworth's friends are even now hoping that history will repeat itself.

James Wolcott Wadsworth, Jr. is a farmer, the son of a farmer, and his forefathers before him filled the soil. Something of the strength and virility of his broad acres in western New York appears to have percolated through the blood and warp and fire of his being.

As opportunities present themselves, he demonstrates that he is the stuff of which bold leaders are made. Self-possessed, easy and tactful in address, he is resolute and resourceful. There is nothing unduly assertive about him, but one quickly perceives the self-reliance and fearlessness of this young man.

The Phenomenal Rise of James Wadsworth Jr. Speaker of the New York Assembly.



The Wadsworth Homestead at Geneseo, N.Y.



James W. Wadsworth Jr.



Miss Alice Hay, who was Miss Alice Hay

When "Jimmy" Wadsworth was in college he was a commanding young fellow. At nineteen he was captain of the Yale Varsity baseball club and one of its best players.

Shortly after graduating he answered the country's call to arms, at the beginning of the war with Spain and went to the front, seeing service in Porto Rico.

After his return from the war he spent some time with his father and mother in Washington, and then journeyed north to look after his family estates in western New York.

Although a law graduate, young Wadsworth never attempted to practice. He preferred to follow the vocation of his ancestors and till the soil.

He inherited a love for farming just as he inherited a love for politics. For a number of years his father, James W. Wadsworth, has been prominent in New York's political and agricultural circles, and has represented his district in congress several terms.

The Wadsworths own thousands of acres of farm land in western New York. Shortly after the civil war it is said that a member of the family could ride from Geneseo to Rochester, a distance of twenty-nine miles, without leaving his own ground.

western New York was announced. At the same time it was stated that the wedding would be void of display. Unlike her older sister, Mrs. Whitney, Mrs. Wadsworth did not inherit her father's literary gift.

Tall and stately, with a rich dark coloring and almost black hair, she is of strikingly handsome appearance. While lacking, perhaps, some of the vivacity of her sister, she possesses a most attractive manner, and gives an impression of dignity and force of character.

She is fond of athletic sports, is a golfer, tennis player, and an expert equestrienne, she is seen nearly every day during the pleasant months catering along country roads with her fond young husband.

Many men in public life have been greatly aided by the tact and helpful influence of their wives. No one of "Jimmy" Wadsworth's friends believes other than that she is fully capable of measuring up to his opportunities and carving his way to higher, but they also believe that his efforts and ambitions will be ably and effectively seconded by his wife.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR. A Little Girl Whose Bravery Should Be Rewarded. Kingston, Feb. 16.—(To the Editor): I see by the papers that the council received a request from D. O'Leary, asking them to call the attention of the Humane Society to the timely assistance rendered to the drowning battery men, last year, by J. R. Forster, and it brought to my mind the heroic action of the little Twigg girl in saving the life of young Staley at the west end breakwater on July 14th last year, when Staley had gone down for the second time.

This little girl was only seven years of age, and her little stomach and leaning overboard Staley the end of an umbrella, she had with her. This kept him up until John Gleason, who was attracted by her shouts, went to the rescue. It showed the remarkable presence of mind of this little girl, and her personal bravery in doing what she did at the risk of being pulled into the water herself, is worthy of emulation by older people, and her heroic should not go unrecorded.

For The School Girl. At least one sailor blouse is found in every school girl's wardrobe. Just at present fashion turns again to the flannel blouse, and many and delightful are the patterns the shops are showing now in loosely woven flannels. Indeed, that heavy word, "flannel," is now applied even to the flannel weaves. The simpler the blouse is cut the better the young miss likes it, and the better style it is pronounced.

One point is essential, it should be simply roomy. The cream white flannel blouse is much affected for tennis and like reports. Its big sailor collar, shield and cuffs may be ornamented with one of the attractive patterns of lace braid in white or black, and a smart four-in-hand tie of black silk completes the effect.

Campbell-Bannerman and Mr. Asquith, approve a system of national old age pensions.

NEW WASH FABRICS

Full range of Prints of all descriptions from the best Canadian and English manufacturers. These are in the following colored grounds:—White, Lilac, Light Blue, Navy, Red, Pink, Cherry, Grey, Cadet and Black, in designs of dots, sprigs, pin stripes, medium and wide stripes. Crumm's world renowned Prints.

New Dress Gingham in pretty checks and hair stripes. New Embroideries in all widths. Laces of every description—Vals, Torchons, etc. Dress Goods. Cream Mohair Lustre and Cream Mohair Batiste. These are of the unshrinkable weaves, from 35c. to \$1.

Suits for Little Girls. We are going to put on our Bargain Table, upstairs in Millinery Department, 50 of these little Suits (Skirt and Blouse), Worth from \$4 to \$7.49. For Saturday and Monday, \$1.99.

CRUMLEY BROS.

THE RUSH IS ON

Our Special Sale of Messrs. Green & Co.'s Stock is attracting great crowds.

NO WONDER!

JUST THINK OF IT! Ready-Made Clothing, Men's Hats and Caps, Furs, Ladies' Coats and Skirts, Corsets, Ladies' Underwear, Velling, Trimmings, Etc. all selling at remarkable low prices.

Come early Saturday. A store full of Bargains invites you to come and inspect them.

Saturday Offerings are worth coming early for.

...HERE ARE A FEW OF THEM...

Ladies' Winter Jackets, half and three-quarter lengths; regular prices from \$5 to \$12.50. For Saturday all reduced to \$2.00

51 Pr. Odd Corsets, in the following makes: B. & C. Yantai, No. 204, Floradora, No. 333, No. 184, T. & G., No. 109, No. 2 P., No. 3 P. Sizes from 18 to 27. Prices ranging 75c, \$1, 1.25. Your choice, 50c. Pair

300 Yards Black Silk Face Veiling, worth 20c. per yard. Saturday Special, 5c. Yard

Ladies' Extra Heavy Fleece-lined Undervests, worth to-day 65c. Saturday, 35c.

Ladies' Natural Wool Vests and Drawers, worth \$1.25. Saturday, 65c.

If All Men Who Need Trousers will be on hand Saturday we'll satisfy them all. Hundreds to choose from—every pair good quality and made right. Priced right as you will notice:

Trousers of Imported English Worsteds, variety of colors and patterns, winter weight, sizes 32 to 38. Regular price \$2 to 2.50. Saturday, \$1.25 Pair

Trousers of Fine Worsteds, neat striped patterns, dark and medium shades, side and 2 hip pockets. Regular price \$3 and 3.50. Saturday, \$2.00 Pair

If You Have a Boy Who Needs Clothing you're lucky. You're fortunate in having the boy in the first place. You're fortunate that he's in good health—that he wears out clothes, and you should consider yourself fortunate that five small dollars will do such big buying duty here on Saturday. Just read this:

20 Boys' Overcoats in Oxford Grey, also a few Tweeds, single breasted, long, loose fitting style; sizes 27 to 31. Worth \$4.50 to 5.50. Saturday only \$2.85

33 Boys' 2-Piece Suits, in dark domestic Tweeds, Italian lined knee pants—a clearing of broken lines. Sizes 25 to 30. Worth \$3.50 to 5.00. Yours on Saturday for \$2.15

300 Boys' Linen Sailor Collars, W. G. & R., and Rugby make. Regular price 15c. Saturday only 5c.

88 Stiff Bosom Shirts, separate cuffs, different patterns, sizes 14 to 16 1/2. Regular price \$1 to 1.25. Saturday only 50c. A limit of 2 to a customer.

100 Heavy Denham Overalls and Smocks; colors blue, black and grey; some striped. Overalls, with or without bibs. Regular price 75c. and \$1. Saturday only 50c. a piece. A limit of 1 suit to a customer.

These are only a few of the hundreds of bargains to be offered on Saturday, Feb. 17th. The public know when they get a good thing. Don't wait until the last, and then be sorry. COME EARLY. THE..... Montreal Bankrupt Stock Co. 180 Princess Street F. X. COUSINEAU - General Manager