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LAST EDITION.

White Flannelette Nightgowns

We are now showing some particularly valuable Ladies' White Flannelette Nightgowns at

5c., 99c., 1.25 and 1.49.

and with the six or eight weeks of cold weather ahead, these Nightgowns ought to be good buying now.

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in most homes, and we call your attention to the following:

1. CLOTHS, 10c. and 12c.
2. TONS, 8c., 10c., 12c., 15c.
3. Try fine cotton for underwear, 12 1/2c. and 25c.
4. 15c., 12c., 20c.
5. BRICS, 12 1-2c., 15c.
6. Famous English White Cottons.

Meetings

7. 7 inches, 90
8. 8 inches, 90
9. 9 inches, 90
10. 10 inches, 90
11. 11 inches, 90
12. 12 inches, 90
13. 13 inches, 90
14. 14 inches, 90
15. 15 inches, 90
16. 16 inches, 90
17. 17 inches, 90
18. 18 inches, 90
19. 19 inches, 90
20. 20 inches, 90

Leather Shoes

21. 21 inches, 90
22. 22 inches, 90
23. 23 inches, 90
24. 24 inches, 90
25. 25 inches, 90
26. 26 inches, 90
27. 27 inches, 90
28. 28 inches, 90
29. 29 inches, 90
30. 30 inches, 90

HEARING SALE

31. large Stock, to Rebuild.
32. as at 20 cents per dozen.
33. as at 25 cents per dozen.
34. as at 30 cents per dozen.
35. as at 35 cents per dozen.
36. as at 40c., 50c. and 60c. per dozen.

THE LEADING UNDERTAKER

37. Packing and Freight Free.

Oranges

38. 10 cents per dozen.
39. as at 15 cents per dozen.
40. as at 20 cents per dozen.
41. as at 25 cents per dozen.
42. as at 30 cents per dozen.
43. as at 35 cents per dozen.
44. as at 40c., 50c. and 60c. per dozen.

166 Princess Street

and Damp Proof CASINS

45. shape and without odor.
46. 3. now \$1.00.
47. 5. now \$1.25.
48. 10, 11, now \$1.50.

SHOE STORE

49. Slippers for children, 25c. and 35c.

January & February Sale of Furniture

Goods are going fast. Rare Bargains. Some goods only a little while in use, good as new, 50 per cent. reduction. Iron Beds, Springs and Mattresses. 1 Parlor Set, Mahogany Frames, Silk Cover, \$35, for \$25. 2 Sideboards, \$35 for \$25. 2 Sideboards, \$25, at \$18 and \$20. Hatracks from \$6.50 to \$35. 2 or 3 Extension Tables about \$10 and \$12, for \$7 and \$9.

ROBT. J. REID
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Notice to Architects.

Designs for New Departmental and Justice Buildings, Ottawa Extension of Time.

THE TIME FOR RECEIVING COMPETITIVE designs for the proposed new Departmental and Justice Buildings at Ottawa, is hereby extended from April 15 to July 1, 1907.

FRED GELLINAS, Secretary. Department of Public Works, Ottawa, January 24, 1907.

Hockey Match

SENIOR O. H. A. Peterboro vs. 14th Batt. Hockey Club WEDNESDAY, JAN. 30th.

1/4 Off

We have a few boxes of ROWNTREE'S AND CADBURY'S Chocolates

Left over from Christmas, which we are going to sell at a discount of 25%

This is a rare chance for lovers of fine Chocolates.

James Redden & Co.

New York Chinese Restaurant

83 Princess Street Open from 10.30 a.m. to 3.00 a.m.

Sharbot Lake and Bolton Creek Bridges.

A COMMITTEE APPOINTED by the Frontenac County Council will meet at Sharbot Lake, on FEBRUARY 7th, at 2 o'clock p.m., to sell certain jobs of repairs to Sharbot Lake Floating Bridge and Bolton Creek Bridge, in the Township of One.

CATTLE EAT DYNAMITE.

Valuable Animals Killed in Okanagan Valley.

Vancouver, Jan. 29.—Several valuable cattle have been killed by eating dynamite in the Okanagan Valley and there is an angry lot of settlers there. The chief sufferers have been the ranchers of Marble Lake. They say the dynamite was used by the government roadmakers, who worked last fall in the vicinity. So far the carcasses of half a dozen animals have been found, and as many more are missing. It is feared that when the snow goes away a number more may be discovered. The residents of the district feel strongly on the matter and intend to ask the government to have it investigated.

To Cure A Cold In One Day. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box, 25c.

DAILY MEMORANDA.

Board of Trade, 8 p.m. Social, St. James' School House, 8 p.m. Carnival at the Royal Bank Friday night, good prizes. Zion, good ice, races to-night. Carnival Friday, 14th Band. This day in history—King George III. died, 1820; Victoria Cross instituted, 1856; Surrender of Paris, 1871.

WHIG TELEPHONES.

243—Business Office. 229—Editorial Rooms. 292—Jobber Department. Embossing and Engraving a specialty.

Josiah Wedgewood

We have some old Blue DINNER SETS of this celebrated maker, very quaint shape, regular price \$9.75.

Robertson Bros.

McKAY FURS

FOR MEN

Raceoon, Beaver and Fur-lined COATS

Fit any man in size and PURSE.

McKAY FUR HOUSE
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NOTICE

MEETING OF THE MASTERS AND Mates Association, WEDNESDAY night, Jan. 30th. All members are requested to attend. Very important business.

JAP PRINCE TO VISIT BRITAIN

The Mikado to Return Courtesy Extended.

Tokio, Jan. 29.—Prince Fushimi, a member of the imperial house of Japan, has been selected by the emperor as his representative to return the visit made by Prince Arthur of Connaught last winter in charge of the Garter mission.

He has expressed a desire to travel to England, under the British flag, and will sail from Yokohama, next month, on the P. and O. liner Denbar.

The prince, who is now forty-eight years of age, graduated in the Military School of Japan in his boyhood, and during the recent war served as a general officer of the imperial army. His work was especially valuable in connection with the organization of the transport and the commissariat services.

Economical Relief. You get a large bottle of Smith's White Liniment for 25c. It lasts a long time and does a lot of curing. It relieves any pain, cures any bruise or strain, expels rheumatism or neuralgia and relieves any inflammation or congestion. It should be in every home all the time. At Wade's Drug Store.

YOUR CHANCE

READ to-day's Want Advs. Good positions are open to you. Every day there are new offers—new doors that open to success.

Watch your opportunity; don't let it go by.

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READ HIM OUT

Premier Gave Lavergne His Conge.

WHAT IS STRENGTH?

THIS WILL BE MANIFEST IN NEXT ELECTION.

Thought There Will Be a Liberal Victory in British Columbia—Prince Edward Island Representation—Bureau Has Been Made Solicitor-General.

From Our Own Correspondent. Ottawa, Jan. 29.—The talk of the day is the ruling out of the liberal party of Armand Lavergne, M.P., for Montserrat, by the premier. It is fully anticipated that the same will happen to Mr. Bourassa, on the first opportunity, and when the general election comes along we shall see what real strength there is in the National party in Quebec, as Bourassa, Robitaille, and Lavergne style themselves.

The ruling out of Mr. Lavergne was interesting. A deputation of Montserrat voters had come to the capital, desiring an inquiry into the matter. They were introduced to Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Mr. Emmerson, by Mr. Lavergne. When they had stated their purpose, the premier said he would be glad to consider the matter, but meanwhile he could pay no attention to anything the member for Montserrat suggested, as he was not a supporter of the government.

Mr. Lavergne's reply to this was that he had always considered that the underlying principle of liberalism was liberty.

Considerable interest is being manifested in the British Columbia elections, which take place next Saturday. The additional excitement being supplied by the fact that ex-Governor Ross, of the Yukon, is in the field, and that Duncan Ross, of Yale-Cariboo, is in the fight with him. Reports reaching Ottawa are to the effect that a liberal victory is assured.

The house, yesterday, discussed the annual question of the representation of Prince Edward Island. Representatives of the maritime provinces generally were on their feet in an animated debate to save their dwindling representation. Something might be done at an early date, it was suggested, regarding the rearrangement of electoral districts, but meanwhile these annual debates have partaken more the nature of expression of opinion.

It was brought out during the question that George Boston, a brother-in-law of the Hon. J. F. Ross, had been appointed an immigration official for Ontario. He will deal with the deportation of undesirable.

The appointment of Jacques Bureau of Three Rivers, as solicitor-general, which has been made absolute, has smoothed the ruffled feelings of many of the Quebec members. Mr. Bureau is the very best of the Quebec representatives, who consider the appointment their own.

The government, yesterday, received a cable from the Canadian parliament to aid the earthquake sufferers. The cable says no further assistance will be required, except for rebuilding. In view of this statement, the government has replied that it is willing to forward the other \$50,000 provided either in cash or lumber.

E. D. Arnaud writes from St. John's, Nfld., to the department of trade and commerce to note the presence of American manufacturing companies having Canadian agents through whom Newfoundlanders have to order, rather than their direct. Mr. Arnaud suggests that Canadian manufacturers avail themselves of this arrangement to employ local agents.

The Canadian commercial agent at St. Kitts, West Indies, reports that considerable apprehensions are felt among sugar producers at the proposed increase of the duty on raw sugars under the new Canadian tariff, as it is feared that the increase of seven and one-third cents per cent, will entirely neutralize the advantage of the share in the British preferential rate which they have hitherto enjoyed.

J. P. Downey Resigns. Guelph, Ont., Jan. 29.—The Herald announces the resignation of J. P. Downey from the editorial chair of the paper. Mr. Downey is the member for the Ontario legislature from South Wellington, and his name has frequently been mentioned in connection with possible cabinet changes in the near future. No announcement is made of Mr. Downey's intentions, but it is possible he may start a new paper.

"Carnation Day." Washington, Jan. 29.—As the carnation is said to have been President McKinley's favorite flower, thousands of Americans all the world over, on today, wearing it in honor of the anniversary of the late president's birthday. The carnation fringe of America is now a strong organization, much as the English have established the Primrose League in memory of Lord Beaconsfield.

The pope has issued new instructions on the question of French men who make a compromise possible.

TO STOP FRENCH DUELING.

Bill Imposing Fine and Imprisonment.

Paris, Jan. 29.—The recent duel, in which Lieut. Spitzer was seriously wounded, has drawn attention to a bill which has been introduced in the chamber, imposing severe penalties on anyone taking part in a duel, either as principal or accessory.

The measure provides that anyone concerned in a duel, even as a witness, may be imprisoned for from one to twelve months, and fined from \$20 to \$200. In cases where one of the duellists is wounded severe penalties are authorized.

The act of inciting to a duel is made punishable by imprisonment and fine and the newspapers are forbidden to publish the details of any encounter.

The Albe Lemire, who introduced the measure, proposes that in cases where a settlement by law is impossible arbitration should be resorted to. The bill has been referred to a committee.

MINERS SLAIN

In The Great Fire Damp Explosion.

VARIED ACCOUNTS

COME OF THE EXTENT OF THE DISASTER.

A Second Explosion Has Likely Killed All Who Had Any Hope of Escape—Emperor William Has Asked For a Report—An Explosion in French Mine—No Lives Lost.

Belin, Jan. 29.—Reports concerning the explosion of the fire damp which occurred, yesterday, in the Roden coal mines, St. Johann, Blainish Prussia, are very conflicting as regards the number of miners involved. The management telegraphed a newspaper, late last night, that sixty-two had been killed and sixteen injured and that seventy-two were still below. These latter, it was added, were certainly dead.

The accounts from Saar Bruecken, St. Johann and Roden say 123 bodies have been recovered and that 250 miners are still below, their fate being doubtful. Another report states 180 bodies have been taken out and that 450 men are still in the mine. The progress of the fire, last evening, compelled the withdrawal of all the rescuers. Subsequently there was another big explosion. It is not expected that any one in the mine survives. Emperor William has ordered that a full report of the disaster be sent him.

LUNATIC'S GIFT TO ASYLUM.

Court Sustains Will Giving Institution Request.

Paris, Jan. 29.—A curious case was heard, today, in which the French academy and a lunatic asylum laid claim to a bequest of \$30,000.

A Mlle. Jangle left the money to the academy by a will made in 1902. In 1902 she was locked up in an asylum; the money to be paid to the academy, and the next year she died.

The court decided in favor of the academy, holding that while Mlle. Jangle was in the asylum, when she made the first will, she was certainly insane when she made the second.

FORM COALITIONS.

Berlin, Jan. 29.—Reports from the provinces show a coalition among all the other political parties to form coalitions, with the view to defeating the social democrats in the coming balloting on February 5th.

TERRIFIC IMPLEMENT OF WAR

New Cannon Which Demolish An Army.

Paris, Jan. 29.—M. Edmond Potier, a peaceably inclined Frenchman, wishes the minister of war to equip the army with a new cannon which he has invented, and which is guaranteed to revolutionize modern warfare.

Armed with this cannon, he says, 2,000 men could hold out for an army of half a million men equipped with ordinary arms. The cannon only weighs 170 pounds, so that two or three strong men can carry it about with them and demolish an army on their own account.

WILL WAIT.

Melbourne, Jan. 29.—Premier Deakin made the announcement that the question of a complete tariff schedule for the Commonwealth will not be taken up until after the colonial conference has been held.

Establish A Union.

New York, Jan. 29.—Preliminary steps have been taken by some of the best-known human prodigies now exhibiting in New York, to form what will be, in effect, a "freaks union."

NEW RAIL CARRIERS.

Trains to Port Arthur—Return With Wheat.

Halifax, N.S., Jan. 28.—Captain Robert Fraser, marine superintendent of the Montreal Transportation company, and C. C. Morris, superintendent of transportation of the Dominion Iron and Steel company, left on the steamer Tunisian for England, yesterday, to inspect several steamers which will run to Sydney next summer.

Two of these boats are being built for the Montreal Transportation company to carry rails to Port Arthur, and three for the Dominion Iron and Steel company.

A scheme is now under way to erect a grain elevator at North Sydney and have these steamers bring grain down as a return cargo. One of the boats will be ready in April and the other in May or June.

SWALLOWED HIS BRAINS.

Jury's Strange Verdict as to Cause of Death.

Deatur, Ill., Jan. 29.—"Death from swallowing his own brains" was the verdict rendered, yesterday, at the inquest over the body of George E. Thomas, an Illinois Central brakeman, who was injured by falling into some pumping machinery.

The base of Thomas' skull was broken in such a way that the man's brains came down into his throat and he swallowed them. After repeating the swallowing at intervals for several hours, during which nearly all his brains had come through the aperture in the skull, Thomas died.

BULLETS FOLLOW REFUSAL.

Two Men Wounded, One in Protecting a Woman.

Olean, N.Y., Jan. 29.—R. H. Finley, a Brooklyn travelling man, and Morris Sinan, of Wellsville, were wounded by bullets that flew in a light on a Erie passenger train near here, yesterday.

One bullet struck Sinan in the neck, coming out through his mouth and seating out some teeth. Finley was struck in the hand. Sinan had sat in a seat that had been occupied by two Italians.

The latter returned and demanded their seat of Sinan. He refused and the Italians shot. Finley was injured while he shielded a woman and child from the flying bullets.

Artilleryman Killed.

Washington, Jan. 29.—A shooting affray occurred in a road house near Fort Washington, Maryland, an army post, fifteen miles from here, late Saturday night, in which Pte. William S. Wirebarger, of the 104th company, Coast Artillery, killed Pte. Frederick Gosney, 17th company, Coast Artillery.

A dispute regarding a woman led to the shooting. Wirebarger escaped, but returned to the post to-night and surrendered, and is now held a prisoner in the guard house.

Gosney was twenty-six years old and enlisted at Ottawa, Ill. He had been in the service for two years. Wirebarger, who will be tried for murder, is from Cincinnati.

Lady Grenfell Very Ill.

Ottawa, Jan. 29.—Lady Victoria Grenfell, eldest daughter of Earl and Countess Grey, is in a critical condition. Lady Victoria arrived from Mexico two weeks ago, and was immediately stricken with typhoid. Yesterday she was in a critical condition. Her husband, Lord Grenfell, is in Toronto, and was hurriedly summoned to Ottawa.

Later—Lady Victoria Grenfell, has successfully passed the crisis of the typhoid attack under which she was suffering.

Earl and Countess Grey, in their anxiety, did not attend the opening of the musical dramatic competition in Bombay. All steps are being taken by the sanitary authorities to stop the spread of the disease.

Spread of Bubonic Plague.

Rio De Janeiro, Jan. 29.—The bubonic plague is spreading at an alarming rate. Up to the present there are sixty cases and fourteen deaths. Yellow fever has also made its appearance and several deaths from leprosy are reported. The bubonic plague was brought into this country by a number of coolies on a British tramp steamship. They were shipped in Bombay. All steps are being taken by the sanitary authorities to stop the spread of the disease.

Fair in A Theatre.

Vienna, Jan. 29.—A mouse scurried across the auditorium of the Royal Theatre in Jeddstadt during a performance of "The Fiedermaus," last night. Some of the women present stood upon their seats and screamed, causing a semi-panic, the bulk of the audience not knowing the cause of the alarm. The performers left the stage twenty minutes before calm was restored. The mouse escaped.

Nine Jurors Now.

New York, Jan. 29.—The jury which is to try Harry K. Thaw for killing Stanford White is rapidly nearing completion. When court adjourned last evening there were nine men in the jury box, one having been added during the morning, and a second just before the hour of adjournment. It is thought tonight that the taking of testimony may be begun Wednesday afternoon.

Cleaver's glycerin soap, "English," 3 cakes, 25c. Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

Toronto, Ont., Jan. 29.—(10 a.m.) Fair and cold. Wednesday, cold with light snow.

Not A Minute to Lose

If you would get the greatest bargains of the season in Ladies' Tailored Suits and Shirt Waists

When we say cheap, we don't mean it in the sense of "trash"—we mean good suits and waists—garments that will wear long and well and will be a credit to the wearer and to this store.

READ DOWN THE LIST

Tailored Suits

Made of fine broadcloth and cheviot, some made with Eton coats, others with hip-length coats, and pleated skirts, colors black and navy. Models at \$15 to \$18.

To-morrow at \$10.00

Shirt Waists

Made of fine quality of figured lustre, front in tucks to Eton depth, giving fullness over bust, box-pleat in front trimmed with braid, back tucked, stylish sleeves, colors black, navy and cream. \$2 to 10.

Regular price, \$1.75. To-morrow at \$1.15

Shirt Waists

Of fine Panama, in black and white spot, navy and cream with blue spots, front in made with box-pleats, trimmed with pearl buttons, back is attached in box-pleats, stylish sleeves with deep cuff. Regular price \$2.25.

To-morrow \$1.25. No Exchange. Sales for Cash.

STEACY'S

BORN. HEPBURN—in Kingston, on Jan. 29th, 1907, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Hepburn, King street, a son.

MARRIED. QUINN-ANDERSON.—In St. James' Roman Catholic church, (the church of the late James McMillen, aged sixty-five years.) New York, on Jan. 26th, 1907, by Rev. Fr. J. Kane, M. Cornelius J. Quinn, New York, to Miss Frances Q. daughter of Mrs. James K. Anderson, 30 William St., Kingston, Ont.

DIED. MCGINNIS.—In Kingston, on Jan. 28th, 1907, Bridget McGinnis, widow of the late James McGinnis, aged sixty-five years.

FUNERAL will take place to-morrow, in the funeral home at Gananoque, at 10 o'clock a.m.

DEPARTURE.—On Jan. 29th, 1907, at 10 o'clock a.m., the funeral of William Bryant, aged sixty-two years, will be held at the funeral home at Gananoque.

ROBERT J. REID

THE LEADING UNDERTAKER
Phone 577, 237 Princess St.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE

THURSDAY, JAN. 31st. The great orchestra that has resisted in making the Montebello. Their concert is on.

Pittsburgh Orchestra
55 Musicians—Conductor, EMIL PAUL Assisted by the charming and talented soprano

MRS. LE GRAND REED
Prices, 25c., 50c., 75c., \$1.
Seats now on sale.
Sole. Feb. "LITTLE DOLLIE DIMPLES."

TO DISSOLVE CORTES.

The Bakers Are to Raise Price of

Madrid, Jan. 29.—Prime Minister Maura, the conservative leader, who took office only a few days ago, proposes to dissolve the cortes and hold a general election forthwith. The outlook for the ministry is very difficult, one cause of trouble being that the bakers have given notice that they intend to raise the price of bread on February 1st. This is likely to lead to serious rioting. The pope has already equipped by the bakers in the price of olive oil, which practically all foods are cooked.