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Sugar and Ginger Cakes, 2 pounds for ..... 25c.

Blue Rose Rice (finest) 8 pounds for ..... 29c.

Choice, large Prunes, 3 lbs. 29c.

Hand Picked Beans 4 lbs. 25c.

Cream of Wheat . . . 4 lbs. 25c.

7 lb. bag Pastry Flour . . . 38c.

5 lb. pail Table Syrup . . . 38c.

Peko Blend Tea, lb. . . . 62c.

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Saturday — (last day) —  
10 BARS FOR ..... 50c.

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## 20% Discount

on Shirts, Underwear, Work Shirts, Ties, etc.

Fur Coats and small Furs at genuine reductions.

It will pay you to investigate your future needs.

### CAMPBELL BROS.

Fire on Thursday gutted the Noble block in Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., causing a loss of about \$40,000.

A Government bill will be introduced providing for old age pensions.

## RECALLS BIG FIRE IN KINGSTON IN 1855

Old Resident States It Occurred in About Same Location as Fire of 1867.

Information has been asked recently through the columns of the Whig, regarding the location of the buildings which were destroyed in the fire of 1855.

An old resident of the city has very kindly informed the Whig, that it occurred at about the same location as the 1867 fire. A large dwelling house situated about where the Palace Candy Shop is now located on Princess street was destroyed by the fire. A large stone house, situated where Luckin's butcher shop now stands, containing a dwelling and a store and owned by a man by the name of Bruce, was also one of the buildings destroyed. At that time there was a large common on Brock street, which stretched from the Roman Catholic church down to where Dr. W. A. McCarthy's house is now situated.

The Whig's informant states that the incident was particularly impressed on his mind because of the fact that at the time of the fire, one of the firemen disappeared and the populace dragged the wells for his body.

### LATE JOHN P. PARKE.

Died in Philadelphia, N.Y.—Once Lived in Kingston.

John Bell Parke, aged eighty-one, died at his home on Clark street, Philadelphia, N.Y., at 7 p.m., Thursday, Jan. 21st, due to a hemorrhage of the brain.

Mr. Parke was born in Ireland, on June 13th, 1844, and was the son of Mary Bell and John Parke. When six years old, he came from Ireland and located with his parents at Kingston, Ont. In 1875 he married Anne McNeely, Storrington. For a number of years he lived at Woodburn. In 1901 he moved to East Hounslow, N.Y., owning the flower farm there. In 1903 he went to Philadelphia, N.Y., where he lived since. Twelve years ago he took out naturalization papers. He had been a prominent member of the Methodist Episcopal church since his stay in Philadelphia, being a trustee and steward till the time of his death.

He is survived by his wife, one daughter, Mrs. Fred S. Parrot, Belleville, one grandson, John Parrot, and one granddaughter, Hazel Mand Parke, Gouverneur, N.Y., and several brothers, A. N. Parke, Ingersoll; George F., of Tarrytown, N.Y.; Dr. J. R. Parke, Philadelphia, Pa., and William Parke, New Brunswick, N.J. The funeral was held Sunday, Jan. 24th, at 11 a.m., from the Methodist Episcopal church and was largely attended. Rev. B. J. Davidson officiated. The burial was at Philadelphia cemetery.

### LONG SERVED IN PUBLIC LIFE.

Warden of Leeds and Grenville North of Township he Represents.

The warden of Leeds and Grenville this year is George Shirley Duncan, reeve of North Crosby. He is a son of the late John Duncan and his wife, Mary Shirley, and was born in the township of North Crosby, May 20th, 1860, and is, therefore, in his sixty-sixth year. He was educated at the local school and has always followed farming. He was married to Miss Florence Nichols, Newboro, and has one daughter, Miss Mary Duncan, R.A., who resides with her parents. He was elected a member of the council of North Crosby fourteen years ago, and after serving for four years was elected reeve. For the past ten years he has been a member of the Counties' Council. He is an Anglican in religion and is a member of Simpson Lodge, No. 157, A.F. & A.M., Newboro. He has been for thirty-five years secretary-treasurer of the school board in the section where he lives. He is also secretary-treasurer of the New Model cheese factory, Newboro. He is a director and past president of the Westport-North Crosby Horticultural Society.

### 1926 Canadian Teachers' Federation Convention.

The above convention will be held in Charlottetown, P.E., August 2nd to August 6th, and arrangements are now being completed for an all-expense, personally conducted tour via the Canadian National Railways, from Toronto to Charlottetown in connection therewith. This tour will include a trip down the St. Lawrence Rapids, the Saguenay River, Lakes and the Land of Evangeline country, with stopover at Quebec City and trip to St. Anne de Beaupre, returning by way of Boston, the White Mountains of New Hampshire, and Montreal. A leaflet will shortly be issued giving complete information regarding the tour.

For particulars address Mr. Martin Kerr (Principal of the Earl Kitchener School), 4 Beulah Ave., Hamilton, and Mr. A. E. Bryson (Principal of the Silverthorn School), 44 Silverthorn Ave., Toronto.

### Held on Like Grim Death.

Alphonsus Murphy, Crosby, had a narrow escape from death on his farm while running a sawing machine. In some manner his sweater was caught in the saw, which threw him off his feet, his left foot striking the saw, which nearly severed it near the toes. A large gash was also cut in his heel. One of his companions held on to him and kept him from being drawn near the saw. Every stitch of clothes was torn from his body, they being worn around the armpit and literally torn into shreds.

### THE EXCELSIOR LIFE.

Has Another Successful Year—New Business A Record.

The statements submitted at the annual meeting of the Excelsior Life Insurance Company presided over by the first vice-president, Alex. Peaken, K.C., show 1925 to have been another very successful year for this strong and progressive Canadian company.

The amount of new business, issued and revived, and the increase in the premium income were the largest on record. The company enjoyed a continuance of its well-known favorable mortality, the actual to the expected mortality being only 37.3 per cent. The company writes business in Canada exclusively. The insurance in force now amounts to \$61,746,263.09. The assets, which includes over \$4,000,000 of government and Municipal debentures total \$10,992,576.61.

The interest earnings were very satisfactory, averaging 5.53 per cent. on the whole of the investments. The unallocated surplus was increased to \$1,294,000.92.

These favorable results were attained with a decrease in expense rate of 3.2 per cent.

Mr. H. D. Wightman, District Agent for the Excelsior Life at Kingston is optimistic as to the prospects of an increased volume of business for the Excelsior in his territory in 1926.

### THE FALL FAIRS.

The Dates Have Just Been Arranged at Belleville.

- Brighton ..... Sept. 17 and 18
- Pictou ..... Sept. 7, 8 and 9
- Frankford ..... Sept. 16 and 17
- Bancroft ..... Sept. 22 and 23
- Wooler ..... Sept. 23 and 24
- Warkworth ..... Oct. 7 and 8
- Campbellford ..... Sept. 30, Oct. 1
- Colborne ..... Sept. 21 and 22
- Addington ..... Sept. 10 and 11
- Striding ..... Sept. 28 and 29
- Tweed ..... Sept. 30, Oct. 1
- Belleville ..... Aug. 31, Sept. 1, 2, 3
- Shannonville ..... Sept. 18
- Roseneath ..... Oct. 14 and 15
- Norwood ..... Oct. 12 and 13
- Madoc ..... Oct. 5 and 6
- Napanee ..... Aug. 24, 25, 26, 27
- Marmora ..... Sept. 24 and 25
- Coe Hill ..... Sept. 20 and 21
- Lindsay ..... Sept. 23, 24 and 25



## Last Day of January Sale of Furs

Month-End Real Fur Bargains To-morrow—One Day Only.

We want to round out January with a big clean-out of Ladies' Fur Coats, and will offer drastic reductions on many Fur Coats for to-morrow only. This is a rare inducement to test the power of advertising and bring us big business to-morrow.



- 10 Hudson Seal Coats  
Regular up to \$400 — \$300  
January Sale Price \$225. To-morrow
  - 12 Canadian Rat Coats  
Regular up to \$225 — \$150  
January Sale Price \$145. To-morrow
  - 4 French Seal Coats  
With Collar and Cuffs and border of Fox and Sable. To-morrow — \$150
  - 6 Southern Rat Coats  
Regular up to \$185 — \$135  
January Sale Price \$145. To-morrow
  - 4 Beaverine Coats  
Regular up to \$125 — \$85  
January Sale Price \$95. To-morrow
- This offer means a reduction on every Coat for TO-MORROW ONLY.
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## Saturday Dollar Day At the Big Inauguration Sale

- Women's All-Wool Sweater Coats, no sleeves. Colors: Brown, Blue and Black. Regular \$4.50 ..... Saturday \$1.00
- Misses' and Women's Bloomers, in Pink, Cream and Grey — all sizes. Regular 75c. line ..... Saturday 2 pairs for \$1.00
- Children's Black Drawers and Bloomers, good, heavy weight; all sizes ..... Saturday 2 pairs for \$1.00
- Regular \$2.00 and \$2.50 Corsets, broken lines and broken sizes ..... Saturday \$1.00 pair
- Women's Chamoisette Gloves, regular 95c. A good range of colors ..... Saturday 2 pairs for \$1.00
- 27 inch, heavy, White Flannelette ..... 5 yards for \$1.00
- Boys' Wool Jerseys, odd sizes ..... Saturday \$1.00 each
- Good, heavy Huck Towels ..... Saturday 4 for \$1.00
- White, Cream or Green, Non-Tear Window Shades. Saturday ..... 4 for \$1.00

### REMNANT SALE ON SATURDAY

After taking inventory we find many Remnants of all kinds of materials, including Silks, Dress Goods, Wash Goods, Cottons, Shirtings, Cretonnes, Curtain materials, Floor Coverings, etc.—all to go at greatly reduced prices at our big Remnant Sale on Saturday.

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## WOLFE ISLAND HOME DESTROYED BY FIRE

Owned by Frank Alarie—Defective Chimney Reported as Cause.

On Wednesday afternoon, the home of Frank Alarie, who resides near the foot of Wolfe Island, was destroyed by fire. The home is located on lots 5 and 6, on the 17th concession.

Very little is known about the fire, but it is thought that it was due to a defective chimney. When the fire was first noticed members of the family, who were in the home, endeavored to stop the blaze.

A small insurance was carried. The investigator for the insurance company went from Kingston on Friday for the purpose of deciding the amount of the loss.

### AT TYENDINAGA RESERVE.

A Jolly Birthday Party for Little Victor Brant.

Tyendinaga Reserve, Jan. 26.—A birthday party was held in honor of Master Victor Brant's first year, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Brant (nee Dora Maracle). Mrs. H. C. File, godmother of little Victor, found the beautiful ring which had been placed in the birthday cake.

Mrs. H. O. File has returned to take up her duties as teacher at the Central school, after a week's illness. Mr. G. M. Campbell paid his monthly call on the schools of the reserve on Monday. A few of the young people from The Pines district attended a birthday party in honor of Miss Ruth Irwin at Irwin's Island, on Friday evening.

The young people are enjoying the splendid skating on the bay these moonlight nights. Mrs. F. McGuin has returned to her home in Napanee, after a visit with her father here.

Miss Lena Bell spent the weekend at Irwin's Island, the guest of Miss Ruth Irwin. Master Marlin, Belleville, is the guest of Master Franklin Smith, for a few days.

Dr. Livingstone has returned to Ottawa, after paying a visit to the schools on the reserve. Mr. Bruce Hamilton spent Monday afternoon at Robert Elimey's. Mr. Daniel Maracle and Mr. James Hudgins are cutting and drawing wood from Prince Edward county.

Miss Eliza Bell spent Sunday evening at Dew Drop Inn, Deseronto. Mr. William Maracle trained his horse for the ice races held on the bay at Deseronto on Thursday, Jan. 28th. William Smith spent Sunday at Robert Elimey's. Mrs. W. J. Smith attended the ball at Shannonville on Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. John, of Deseronto, spent Sunday evening at Bay View Farm, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Hill.

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  - Sirloin Steak . . 23c.
  - Pork Sausage . . 20c.
  - Pork Roasts . . . 24c.
  - Breakfast Bacon 38c.
  - Our Tea, lb. . . . 57c.
  - Cooked Ham, lb. 50c.
  - Pickled Hocks . 11c.
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  - Butter . . . . . 46c.
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