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veniences, how occupied by Miss that Baden-Powell addressed us. He toba, No. 1 hard, 90c. a bushel.

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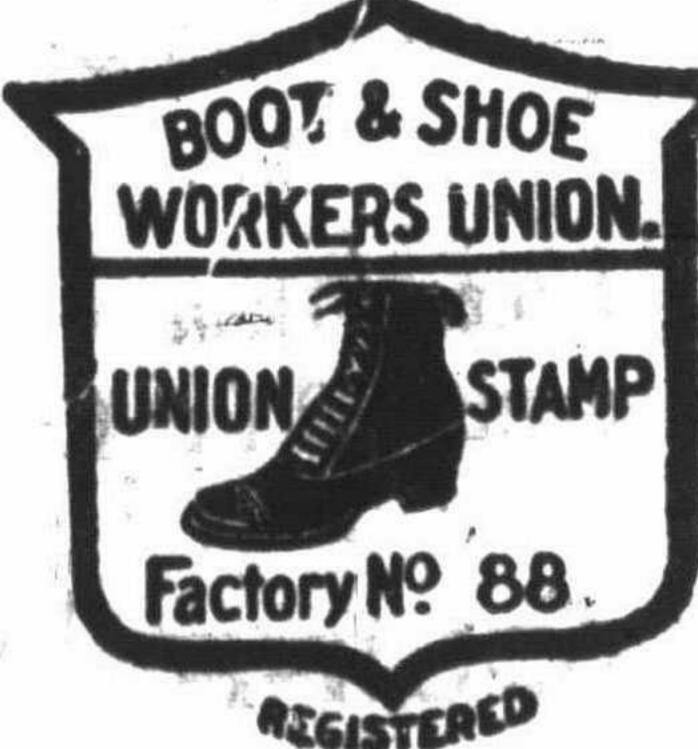
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Shelling The Boers-Laughable

which accomplished the refref, that the ton; straw, 88 to cussion, they frequently failed to ex-

Cully, though suffering all day with enwere obliged to carry him to the hospi-

Birch. "They were courteous to the men, a lb. recognizing the fact that we were not ed by furnace. Apply at No. 6, or regulars. The fight at Maicking lasted to at Whig Office. from noon till dark. We escaped without to 50c. each; skunk, 15c. to 50c. each; men ducking their heads while the Boer \$1.75 each; bear, \$10 to \$15c.cach; veal

"After that fight we marched about two miles, covering the evening's formerly the Whig office. Apply to thought, to encamp for the night.

EDW. J. B. PENSE. 10 p.m., we were all awakened to load !. by and get ready to move off at midnight, heated with furnace; immediate p . Mafeking from which the Boers were. session. Apply to J. B. McIVER. The Royal Horse artillery and 'C' battery opened up a heavy fire on them, pany will lease the store on I rin-were shelled for a couple of hours, when the scouts brought in word that the fornia tomatoes, 30c. a peck; Cali-fenging the rooms on two first the scouts brought in word that the paraded through Mafeking and the long- a bushel; rye, 48c. a bushel; buckwheat FROM FIRST OF MAY, 1901, BRICK | looked-for relief was accomplished.

Agnes Machar. Apply to JOSEPH said: 'Men, you're a thundering fine lot, Oysters-Best, 40c., 50c. and 60c. a and I am pleased to speak to you.' He quart; blue point, 20c. a dozen or \$1 a FLOUR, FEED, GRAIN AND SELED was a man beloved by the whole col- peck; little neck clams, or Quagaugs, store, 117 Brock St., doing one of umn; he was always endeavoring to do 20c. a dozen. is now occupied by F. P. Grass. sometaing for the comfort of his men.

The store is fitted with elevator, "From Mafeking we proceeded to dozen; Mexican oranges, 20c. to 30c. a the largest businesses in the city. It something for the comfort of his men. hopper, scales, feed mill and electric Phamatlabama, where we guarded the dozen; Jamaica oranges, 30c. to 40c. a motor; capacity of elevator 10,000 line for about two weeks, but did not dozen; grape fruit, 10c. to 15c. each; bushels grain. Moderate rent: possession 1st May, 1901. Apply to see the enemy. Next we reached Zeer-bananas, 30c. a dozen; lemons, 10c. to JOSEPH FRANK IN, 1 Sydenham ust, in the Transvaal, which Boer town 20e. a dozen; cranberries, 12jc. a quart; was occupied without opposition. From Malaga grapes, 15c. to 20c. a lb.; Canthere we went to Rustenburg, which adian apples, \$2 to \$3 a bbl.; pears, 20c. was taken without opposition, At this to 30c. a dozen. MONEY TO LOAN IN LALVED OR time the column captured one of Kru- Meat.—Beef, forequarters, 34c. to 4c. a small sums, at low rates of interest. ger's many sons. The battery garrison- lb.; hindquarters, 44c. to 5c. a lb., weston city and farm property. Loans ed Rustenburg for several weeks, then granted on city and county debun-tures. Apply to 8. C. Me GILL. manager of Frontenac Loan and In- a strong position, and once occupied by 7c. to 8c. a lb.; hogs, live weight, 6c. a westment Society. Office opposit the an enemy it would be hard to drive lb.; dressed, 74c. a lb.; lamb, forequartthem out. We were soon ordered back ers, 6c. to 7c. a lb.; hindquarters, 7c. TWO HUNDRED THOUSAND DC to Rustenburg, as the Boers were attacking the small garrison left behind. ten thousand dollars. For partice Thanks to a meagre body of Australi-WODWIN'S INSURANCE EMPORIUM. we reached there. We had been here ped at Coster River. The right section of 'C' battery was ordered to their re-

We returned to Rustenburg, and geese, 60c. to 90c. each. were soon hemmed in by Boers on all sides Several times sallies were made, and the Boers given a shelling, just to know the Canadians were dy for them. At the end 's Gen. Ian Hamilton and Gen. Mafought their way from Pretoria, and relieved

& Gillen's. Wellington Commanc b Nek and Nitral, near which street, where all plans, designs, ap places the v shelled the enemy out positions. One morning, early, Dewet sent in wor. to Baden-Powell, our gen-POWER & SON. ARCHITECTS. MER- his usual hur norous style, asked, 'What chants Bank Building. corner Brock terms?' We at once went out to find straight, 70 c; wheat, red, 70c.; wheat, Dewet, but as everyone knows, he was goose, 66c. to 664c.; wheat, spring, 71c.; ARTHUR ELLIS, ARCHITECT. CF. too slippery to be caught. We had two peas, 62c.; barley, 45c. to 46c.; rye, fice-Site of New Drill Hell, was 4.7 naval guns with us, and the column 52c.; oats, 32c.; hay, per ton, \$12 to to a little town near Pretoria. After a ed hogs, \$8 to \$8.50; butter, lb. rolls, night here we went to Warm Baths, a 21c. to 23c.; chickens, per pair, 30c. to favorite Boer health resort. Here we 40c.; eggs, new laid, 30c. to 35c.; turhad a scrap with commandant Grobler, keys, per lb., 10c. to 12c.; geese, per in which several prisoners and consider- lb., 8c. to 9c.; ducks, per pair, 45c. to able munitions of war were captured. [70c.; potatoes, per bag, 40c,; apples, Plenty of looting-or commandeering- choice, per bbl., \$1.15 to \$2; apples. for food took place here. Shortly after- fall, per bbl., 75c. to \$1.25; beef, hindwards I was taken ill with enteric fever, | quarters, 87 to 88.50; beef, forequarters, and removed to a Prestoria hospital. On \$4 to \$6; beef, carcases, 85.50 to \$7.50; regaining strength enough to be moved calves, each, \$7 to \$8.50; mutton, per I was sent to Bloemfontein in an am- lb., 5c. to 7c.; lamb, spring, per lb., dend on the Common Stock. was very ill in 7c. to 84c. Lower Dames hospital for three weeks, when I was shifted to Wynburg, near 600 head of butchers' eattle, 15 culves i Cape Town. After a three weeks' stay and 40 sheep and lambs offered for sale there, I was sent to hospital in Eng- at the east end abattoir to-day. The

fighters?" asked the Whig reporter. ... pretty past cattle slighly lower, as "If the British had held the same po- there were more of this kind oh sitions as the Boers did, they could market than has been the case for the JOHN have defied the world. Their entrench- past two weeks. Prime beeves sold Limited, of Hamil- ments were a work of art. The old from 41c. to nearly 5c. per lb., pretty ton, the only Union Factory in Canada. Boer is a much better shot than the good animals brought from 34c. to 44c., young fellow. The Boer is a cowardly and the common stock from 21c. to 31c.

A Card.

guarantee a 25-cent bottle | taracta' "

PRODUCE AND PRICES.

Local Markets. -Plenty Of Delicious Fruit Ob- very slightly, if at all. Feed has vanced somewhat, hay selling from \$1 to 182 a ton higher. These prices are quot-

Figur and feed.-Family flour, \$1.80

pressed, \$14 to \$15 a ton. 124c. a lb.; bloaters, 20c. to 40c. ish Columbia salmon, 20c. a lb.; pompa-Labrador

Hides. -John McKay & Sons, Brock street, quote as follows: Racoon, 10c. mink, best, \$2 each; fox, best, \$1.50 to sheep skins, 80c. each; beef hides, to 6 c. a lb.; wool, 15c. a lb; unwashed wool, 10c. a lb.; rendered tallow,

ip our limber boxes with ammunition, bag; carrots 25c. to 30c. a bushel; turnips, 35c. a bag; parsnips, 50c. a bushel; T. S. Clarke; modern improvemen s; We marched to the opposite side of onions, 70c. to 80cr a bag; Spanish onlettuce and celery, 5c. a bunch; squash, 10c. each; beets, 40c. a bushel; oyster THE GRAND OPERA HOUSE COM. which the Boers did not answer. They plant, &c. a bunch; cauliflowers, 10c. to

Grain.—Peas, 60c. a bushel; oats, 26c. 45c. to 47c. a bushel; bariev, 40c. a house, 19 Sydenham St. west, next For two days we camped half a mile bushel; Canadian spring wheat, seft, door to Joseph Franklin. Beautiful-ly situated, with all modern con-

Fruit-Valencia oranges, 10c. to 20c. a

ducks, 60c. to 90c. a pair; turkeys, & to 10c. a lb.; or 75c. to \$1.25 each; Eggs-Packed, 18c. to 20c. a dozen; fresh, 20c. to 25c. a dozen. Cheese-121c. to 15c. a lb.

Wholesale.

Butter-Creamery, 24c. a lb.; packed creamery, 224c. a lb.; farmers' butter in tubs, 19e. to 21c. a lb.; in prints, 23e. to 24c. a lb. Eggs-Packed, 181c. to 19c. a dozen. Cheese-10%c. to 11c. a lb.

Markets Elsewhere.

Montreal, Jan. 14.—There were about butchers were present in large numbers "What do you think of the Boers as | 11.1 trade was four with the prices of those entrenchments till dooms- Sheep sold at from 3c. to 31c. per lb.

An exciting hockey match was played

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trade, as they are kept exceedingly. The prices in nearly all lines are by, showing very little fluctuation, has risen from 5c. to 10c. a cut., his advances offerts the rotal trade.

LIMITED.

INCORPORATED UNDER THE ONTARIO COMPANIES ACT.

CAPITAL

\$3,000,000

IN SHARES OF \$100 HACH, DIVIDED INTO

20,000 Seven per cent. Cumulative Preference Shares (with further rights as mentioned below) 10,000 Common Shares

\$2,000,000

\$3,000,000

The whole of the Common Stock and \$525,000 Preference Stock is taken in part payment of the purchase consideration; \$700,000 Preference Stock is reserved unissued; and the balance of

\$775,000 7 Per Cent. Cumulative Preference Stock Is Now Offered for Subscription at Par,

Payable 10 per cent per Share on Application; 15 per cent. on Allotment; 25 per cent. one month after Allotment; 25 per cent. three months after Allotment.

months after Allotment; 25 per cent. three months after Allotment. The Preference Shares are Cumulative, and rank, both as regards Capital and Dividends, in priority to the Common Shares, and, in addition to receiving a Preferential Dividend of 7 per cent, are also entitled to divide with the Common shares, pro rate, any surplus profits, after providing for a Unere.

"Nothing too good can be said of the officers mentioned above," said Gr.

"Nothing too good can be said of the ciscoes, 10c. a lb.; sulmon trout, 12c.

"Reserve Fund, and after the Common Shares have received a dividend of the dividend on the Common Shares, not less than 25 per cent. of the remaining profits in every year shall.

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The Dividend on the Preference Shares will be payable half yearly in the months of August and February of each year. There is no debenture issue, and no debentures can be created without the consent of at least two thirds in value of the share-holders present or represented at a general meeting specially convened. BANKERS.

DIRECTORS. STHON SNYDER, Waterloo, Ont., President Furniture Mfr's Exporting) Co., Limited. HON. SAMUEL MERNER, Senator, Berlin, Ont., President of The

Simpson Company, Limited. ROBERT KILGOUR, Toronto, Ont., President The Carter-Crume, Ca. DANIEL KNECHTEL, Hanover, Ont., President Knechtel Furniture,

Company, Limited. HENRY CARGILL, M.P., Cargill, Ont., of H. Cargill & Son, Wholesale Lumber Merchants. W. R. HOBBS, London, Ont., President of Hobbs Hardware Company. THOS, BELL, Wingham, Ont., President of the Canadian Furniture Manu-

facturers' Association. J. S. ANTHES, Berlin, Ont., Secy. Treas. and Manager of the Anthes Mfg. Co., Limited.

THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE. SOLICITORS TO THE COMPANY. BLAKE, LASH & CASSELS, Toronto. SMELLIE & SHAW, Toronto.

BROKERS. R. WILSON-SMITH, MELDRUM & CO., 151 St. James St., Montreal PELLATT & PELLATT, 36 King Street East, Toronto. REGISTRAR AND TRANSFER AGENT. NATIONAL TRUST CO., LIMITED, Toronto and Montrea

AUDITORS. JENKINS & HARDY, Public Accountants, 151 Toronto Street, Toronto. HEAD OFFICE.

TORONTO, CANADA. TEMPORARY OFFICES: 36 KING STREET BAST,

PROSEBOINS

This Company is formed to acquire as going concerns the following furniture manufacturing businesses in the Province of Ontario, with the object of consoliding the various interests and effecting economy in the manufacture, and in the sale and distribution of the goods produced:

I. American Rattan Company of Walkerton, Limited, Walkerton, Ont.

2. The Anthes Mfg. Company, Limited, Berlin, Ont.

3. Thos. Bell & Son, Limited, Wingham, Ont.

4. Broadfoot & Box Furniture Company, Seaforth, Ont. 5. Burr Bros., Quelph, Ont.

6. Button & Fessant, Wingham, Ont. 7. The Hobbs Manufacturing Company, London, Ont. 8. Lewis Hahn, New Hamburg, Ont.

10. The Knechtel Furniture Company, Limited, Hanover, Ont. 11. Joseph Orr, Stratford, Ont. 12, Schaefer, Killer & Company, Waterico, Ont.

13. Snyder, Roos & Company, Waterloo, Out. 14. Siemon & Bros. Manfg. Co., Wiarton, Unt. 15. The Simpson Company, Limited, Berlin, Ont.

16. The Union Furniture Company, Limited, Wingham, Ont. 17. Zoeliner & Co., Mt. Forest, Ont. With the exception of No. 7 all the above properties are freehold.

9. The Hill Chair Company, Limited, Wiarton, Ont. THE FURNITURE BUSINESS.

The manufacture of furniture is one of the principal industries in Canada. The supply of raw material is abundant, and can be obtained at a low cost. The industry which is already one of considerable magnitude, is capable of great extension, and Canada should become, in the near future, one of the leading countries for the a Owing to the increasing population and the growing prosperity of the country, the demand for furniture in Canada is very large, and has absorbed nearly the whole of furniture in the world.

The export trade has only within the last few years been cultivated. Canadian furniture is now being shipped to Great Beltain and other countries, and the outlet in Retail.

Butter—Creamery, 29c. to 24c. a lb.;

Butter—Creamery, 29c. to 24c. a lb.; of the production of the factories. we reached there. We had been here cally a short time when news arrived that the Australians had been entraposed at Coster River. The right section been completed, the business of the ANDERSON FURNITURE CO., LIMITED, of Woodstock, the largest furniture manufacturing establishment in Canadia, the pany has been completed, the business of the ANDERSON FURNITURE CO., LIMITED, of Woodstock, the largest furniture manufacturing establishment in Canadia, the pany has been completed, the business of the ANDERSON FURNITURE CO., LIMITED, of Woodstock, the largest furniture manufacturing establishment in Canadia, the pany has been completed, the business of the ANDERSON FURNITURE CO., LIMITED, of Woodstock, the largest furniture manufacturing establishment in Canadia, the pany has been completed, the output of Canadian factories.

The increase in the Furniture Export trade of Canada during the last four years | The sales of the above 17 factories for the two years and seven months ending 31st Total Value of Furniture exported in the year 1896..... \$ 75,447 For the year ending 31st December, 1898..... \$1,082,023 Total Value of Furniture exported in the year 1897....... 115,863 For the year ending 31st December, 1899...... 1,188,103 Total Value of Furniture exported in the year 1898...... 242,177 For the 7 months ending 31st July, 1900..... \$763,720

The businesses to be acquired comprise some of the oldest and most important in the trade, and the factories are situated in the best iccalities for raw material, labor and shipping. They are equipped with the latest plant and machinery, and are capable ter of greatly increased production with small additional outlay, and many of them have sawmills of their own, walon will become the property of the Company. The Company will thus be in a position to carry on its operations in the most profitable manner.

PROFITS.

The accounts of the 17 Furniture Manufacturing businesses as enumerated above have been examined by Messrs. Jenkins & Hardy, Public Accountants, Toronto, and Toronto, November 1st, 1900. the following is a copy of their Certificate: We hereby certify that we have examined the books and accounts of the 17 businesses set forth in the foregoing Schedule, to arrive at the profit for the two years and

As the stocks of the businesses had been taken and the books closed at varying dates, it is impossible to show from the Accounts the actual separate profits for the seven months ending 31st July last. We find that the aggregate profits of the businesses for the above-mentioned period amounted to \$517,993.13, which, after making certain necessary adjustments and years ending 31st December, 1898, 31st December, 1899, or for the period ending 31st July, 1909. was a strong one.) The next move was \$13; straw, per ton, \$9 to \$9.50; dress-charging expenses of management, excepting managers' salaries, we apportion as follows:

For the year ending 31st December, 1898 \$144,450.43 Being at the rate per annum of 244,864.82

In arriving at these Profits the cost of maintenance and repairs of Plant and Machinery has been charged as an expense of the business, and provision has been made for depreciation, but Interest on Capital and borrowed money has not been charged.

It will be seen from the Accountants' Statement that the profits of the last three years have been progressive; the amount necessary to pay the 7 per cent. dividend on the \$1,300,000 Preference Stock, now issued, being \$91,000, is (on the basis of the profits of the last two years) more than doubly secured, and leaves an ample surplus for providing for the Reserve Fund and paying the divi-It is anticipated that the above profits will be considerably increased as the result of the amalgamation of the businesses.

ADVANTAGES OF AMALGAMATION. Among the advantages to be gained by this consolidation of interests the following may be cited:

1st. The purchase of lumber and goods in larger quantities and on better terms. Avoidance of unnecessary competition.

"Specializing" the manufacture of particular goods, which means that instead of each factory having to manufacture many different kinds of furniture, certain factories will undertake special lines. Development of export trade. MANACEMENT.

The Board of Directors include the representatives of some of the principal businesses acquired and it is also intended to retain the services of not give up his per lb. The calves were a rather poer most of the old managers, so that the management of the Company and the superintendence of the various factories will be in the hands of experienced like and sold at from 22 to sold at from \$2.50 to \$5 cach. manufacturers, who have been successfully identified with the furniture trade for many years.

STOCKS.

After paying for the various businesses, there will remain a sum of over \$500,000 for the purchase of the stocks-in-trade to be taken over by the Ca tion and for working capital and the general purposes of the Company.

The price to be paid by the Company for the above-mentioned businesses has been fixed at \$1,859,972, payable as to \$233,472 in cash, \$525,000 in fully paid Preference to be paid by the Company for the above-mentioned businesses has been fixed at \$1,859,972, payable as to \$233,472 in cash, \$525,000 in fully paid Preference to be paid by the Company for the above-mentioned businesses has been fixed at \$1,859,972, payable as to \$233,472 in cash, \$525,000 in fully paid Preference to be paid by the Company for the above-mentioned businesses has been fixed at \$1,859,972. in fully paid Common Stock, and \$71,500 in mortgages on the property. The Company will assume these mortgages a

Toronto, together with a remittance for the amount of the deposit. Cheques, drafts, etc., to be made payable to the A if the whole amount applied for be not allotted, the surplus paid on deposit will be appropriated towards the sum due

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Note. Since this prospectus was prepared a fire occurred at the Knechtel Furniture Company's works, which destroyed the factory and warchouses and a portion of but not the sawmill or all lumber. The place was well insured and will be rebuilt to greater advantage than before. This fire was pleased as this is the first year of or- | 6gures relating to the Knechtel Company, but does not substantially change the basis of this Prospectus.