

COMMITTEE NAMED TO REVISE LAWS OF CHILDREN'S AID SOC.

No Provision For Care of
Kiddies Under Two
Years of Age.

At the adjourned annual meeting of the Children's Aid Society held yesterday, a committee was appointed to revise the constitution of the society. It was found that under the old constitution it was against the laws of the society to care for children under the age of 2 years. On many occasions it was necessary to do this. It was intimated by one of the members of the society that the present building should be enlarged allowing

for a nursery for infants. This will be brought up at a future meeting for discussion. The board of management, numbering more than thirty members, was re-elected and J. A. T. Hunt was appointed treasurer and E. V. Buchanan as acting treasurer in the absence of Mr. Hunt. J. K. McDermid, Rev. D. C. MacGregor and Major T. J. Murphy were the members appointed to revise the constitution. Inspector W. Kelly reported on several families which had been aided and returned soldiers' children who had been restored to the united parents, after having been cared for by the society during the father's absence.

WEDDING BELLS

LINDEMANN-HAILS. The marriage took place Tuesday evening of Peter Victor Lindemann, a returned soldier, and Mrs. Jane Isabella Hails, the ceremony being performed by the Rev. H. T. Ferguson at the parsonage of the Central Methodist Church. They were unattended. Mr. and Mrs. Lindemann will reside at 125 Ontario street.

LONDON ROTARIANS BEING ENTERTAINED BY NEW YORK CLUB

Will Bring Back Flag to the
Rotary Here.

Half a dozen London Rotarians will be the guests of the New York Rotary Club at luncheon in the Hotel McAlpine, New York, on Thursday of this week, and received from the New York Rotary Club a flag on behalf of the London Rotary Club. Some time ago the New York club wrote stating it had a flag to present to the London club. It so happened that six London Rotarians are to be there on business, this week—E. V. Buchanan, Ray Lawson, D. H. McDermid, E. G. Yeates, Harry Greenhouse and Fred Beltz. They will

LONDON OUT AFTER BUSINESS AT LYONS

Industries Being Advertised
Among the French.

REPRESENTATIVES GOING

Three From City Will Be
Present at International
Exhibition.

Postcards, showing a composite picture of London's industries and containing the names in French of goods manufactured in London suitable for export, have been prepared by the London Chamber of Commerce and are being sent over to France for distribution at the international exhibition, which is to be held shortly in Lyons. The cards refer those interested to the chamber of commerce, London.

Three local firms are being represented at this exhibition. J. C. Doidge of the London Concrete Machinery Company has already left to arrange for the exhibit of that company. A. M. Smith of McClary's, Limited, starts tomorrow for France. The Richards-Wilcox Canadian Company is another London firm which will help to bring London into the limelight at this first international exhibition after the war.

Colds Cause Headaches and Pains. Feverish Headaches and Body Pains caused from a cold are soon relieved by taking LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE tablets. There's only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature on the box. 50c

Curtiss Airplane Coming to Western University Soon

President Braithwaite Notified
Last Night Machine
Was Obtained.

Western University is to have an airplane. Word was received by President E. E. Braithwaite last night from the aviation department of the imperial munitions board that the plane had been secured for the Western Ontario university, and that it was now awaiting shipping instructions from here. The machine is a Curtiss, and bears the name of Major. Hume H. Brown, M. P. of this city, the machine was obtained by special arrangement with the munitions board with F. J. G. Ericson, who has purchased the machine used by the Royal Air Force in Canada. It is expected that it will arrive here in the next few weeks, and will be stored at the London Technical and Art School, where it will be used for instructional purposes. Later, should occasion arise, it will be used by the university for instructional work.

Flossie Not Fit For Hard Work Now; Is Likely To Be Sold

Offer of \$25 May Secure the
Services of Mr. Brazier's
Pet.

Flossie is sick. It is not a sickness unto death, at least her friends hope not, but her physician says that she is not able to fulfill her duties as an employee of the city engineer's department. For three long years she has been suffering and now it has fallen to the lot of Engineer Brazier to tell her that her services are no longer required. He it is known that this task does not appeal to Mr. Brazier, as he is a man with a large heart. He has decided that he will not tell her in so many words that her drawing power can no longer be used in his department. Flossie is fair and fat, but she is not fit. For several years she has performed her duties without a murmur, and it is said that she never kicks. She has not complained at all, but has kept on working through the three years of her indisposition. Not wishing to turn her out on the street in search of some person who would give her a good home. At last his efforts have been rewarded. The kind-hearted citizen who proposes to take her does not wish his name made public, but if the council will approve Flossie will go to his home for the rest of her natural life. She is suffering from what the physician terms a bad case of "greasy leg." Flossie is a bay mare belonging to the garbage department, and the city engineer has received an offer of \$25 for her.

INCREASED RATES. London, Feb. 12.—"It has been stated in various quarters," says Reuters, "that under the guise of a reduction in North Atlantic freights, the British lines have increased the rates of food from 42 shillings per ton to 93 shillings and 4 pence, or an advance of 50 shillings and 10 pence."

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days. Druggists refund money if PAIN EXHAUSTIVE fails to cure Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Stops Irritation, Soothes and Heals. You get restful sleep after the first application. Price 60c.

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Strengthen Up After Spanish Influenza!

Every precaution should be taken to prevent the return of the disease. Strengthen the poor overworked heart, build up the Nerve Force and feed the mind and nervous system by using HACKING'S HEART AND NERVE REMEDY. It will shorten the period of convalescence and help you to regain your old-time health, vigor and vitality. Spanish Influenza leaves the patient very weak. If you wish to build up and get strong again there is nothing like this remedy. It will do the work at bedtime for a few weeks and the results will be wonderful. It will do the work. Price 50c a box, 6 for \$2.50. Sold by all dealers or by mail. C. B. Hacking, Ph.D., Listowel, Ont.

RELIANCE Garage
SERVICE Station

SMALLMAN/NEWMAN

Store Opens at 9 a. m. and
Closes at 6 p. m.

SMALLMAN/NEWMAN



Every Winter Cloth Coat Half Price



Tomorrow morning we will offer the balance of our Winter Coats at just half price. This will include all coats, Ladies' and Misses', also Children's from 6 to 14 years. There will be none excluded from this sale. Your choice of our entire stock. Every coat of this season's buying reduced to half regular price for a quick clearance. Details are lacking in this announcement as there are few coats of any one style, but collectively a great variety, in almost every size. This sale offers all the newest modes in styles and materials, quality the best and size selection fairly complete. We advise early selection, especially if there is a coat here you have been admiring in one of the higher-priced fur-trimmed models or fur fabric coats. This is a rare opportunity, and you will be well advised to secure your next winter's coat from this sale.



80 Ladies' and Misses' Coats, including all fur-trimmed and fur-collar coats, the very smartest models of 1919 season—a great variety of styles and all sizes collectively. This group includes all colored cloth coats, every coat at half price. Sale prices \$12.50, \$14.47, \$17.50, \$20.00 up to \$40.00 each
26 Ladies' and Misses' Black Coats, including plush, matalamb, velours and kersey cloths, all at half price \$15.00, \$17.50, \$20.00, \$25.00, \$35.00 to \$55.00 each
16 only Children's Coats, for ages 6 to 14 years, smartest styles in winter coats; these will go in a hurry. Half price \$4.97, \$5.37, \$6.25, \$7.50 to \$11.25

Crepe Poplin, the Spring Dress Fabric

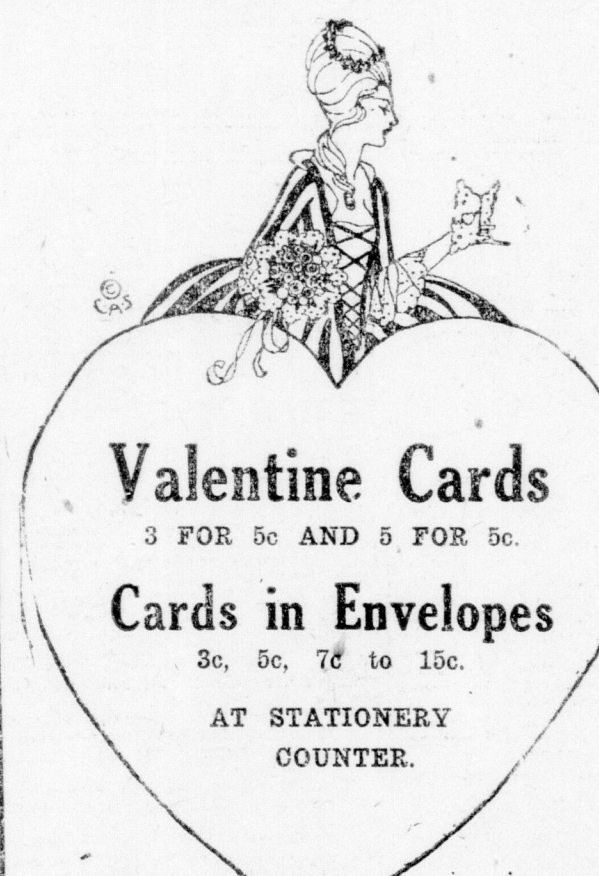
SPECIAL COLOR RANGE AT \$1.79 YARD.

This is an ideal fabric for the new spring and summer dresses, and we have made a special purchase which we are able to offer at a price much below the present value in a splendid range of the new colors, including black. This line and quality may not be repeated this season, and mail order customers are advised to write for samples and order at once.

36-inch Silk Crepe Poplin, nice soft draping quality suitable for the new spring styles. In dark brown, taupe, light navy, reseda, mid-navy, Belgian blue, burgundy, Russian green, sand, grey, nigger and cream. Full 36 inches wide. Price \$1.79
36-inch Plaids for children's school wear. Seven patterns, very choice designs. Special 59c yard

Black Suitings Serge, Broadcloth and Gabardine

Serges of fine quality are among the first spring fabrics chosen by women of refinement, and our present range of black is worthy of special mention at their present pricing.



Valentine Cards

3 FOR 5c AND 5 FOR 5c.

Cards in Envelopes

3c, 5c, 7c to 15c.

AT STATIONERY
COUNTER.

White Gabardines

Gabardines are amongst the most serviceable of fabrics for odd skirts and suits. We have a splendid range of beautiful quality gabardines in white, very reasonably priced, fine even weaves, firm in body, they will give splendid service for wear. Get your white gabardines now and have them made up ready for wear when the season opens.

White Gabardines, 38 inches wide, at 75c, \$1.00, \$1.10, \$1.50 yard
Write for samples.

SALE OF INDIA CROCHET

Thursday we are placing on sale a special shipment of this delightful handwork at very attractive prices. Several sizes in our standard pattern can be had in this sale at about one-third off regular prices. Doilies, Centres, Ovals in great variety, priced from as low as 18c each. Quantities are limited in some sizes.

Every Piece Genuine Hand-Made

10 dozen 6-inch Doilies. Sale price 18c each, or \$1.00 per half dozen
10 dozen 6-inch Doilies. Sale price 25c each, or \$1.40 per half dozen
5 dozen 6-inch Doilies. Sale price 40c each, or \$2.25 per half dozen
20 dozen 8-inch Doilies. Sale price 50c each, or \$2.75 per half dozen
2 dozen 9-inch Doilies. Sale price 60c each, or \$3.35 per half dozen
2 dozen 10-inch Doilies. Sale price 85c each, or \$4.75 per half dozen
4 dozen 10-inch Doilies. Sale price 98c each, or \$5.50 per half dozen
CENTRES—17-inch at \$2.75, \$3.75 each; 22-inch and larger \$4.25, \$5.00, \$7.50, \$8.75, \$15.00 each.

Many dainty Centres for inserting linen centres from \$4.25 to \$6.25
Oval Trays \$1.25 and \$2.75 each

AFTERNOON SPECIALS.
Special Planked Sirloin Steak,
Apple Pie, Cup of Tea 90c
Whipped Cream Cake 15c

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AFTERNOON SPECIALS.
Oyster Stew, Thin Bread and Butter,
Lobster Salad, Thin Bread and Butter,
Cup of Tea 90c
Cold Sliced Chicken with Potato Salad 50c

C. H. WARD & CO. THE BIG Half-Price Jewelry Sale

THE PLACE TO SPEND YOUR MONEY

Thursday \$ Day

ONE DOLLAR WILL BUY AS MUCH HERE AS TWO DOLLARS ELSEWHERE.

SPECIAL FOR THURSDAY.

25 only, \$2.00 Guaranteed Alarm Clocks,
on sale at 9 o'clock, \$1.00 each.
No telephone orders taken for these
goods.

Japanese Flower Gardens, ranging in
prices from \$2.00 to \$8.00. Your choice
Thursday morning, at 9 o'clock, for
\$1.00 each
No phone or mail orders.

One table of Odd Pieces of China, Cut Glass, Silver Plates, Ivory and Photo Frame, Smelling Salts Bottles and numerous other wonderful bargains, for \$1.00 each.

Special in Clocks

\$5.00, 4 only, Small Mantel Clocks, in fumed oak and mahogany finish, 8-day, hour and half-hour strike \$3.50

Diamonds at Half Price

\$36.00 Lady's Modified Tiffany Ring \$18.00
\$45.00 Lady's Modified Tiffany Ring \$22.50
\$75.00 Lady's Opal and Diamond Cluster Ring \$37.50
\$100.00 Lady's Sapphire and Diamond Cluster Ring \$50.00
\$25.00 Lady's 3-Stone (2 diamonds and opal) Ring \$12.50
\$75.00 Lady's 5-Stone (2 diamonds and 3 opals) Ring \$37.50
\$45.00 Lady's 3-Stone (2 diamonds and opal) Ring \$22.50
\$80.00 Lady's 3-Stone Ring \$40.00
\$125.00—Gent's Round Belcher Ring, stone weighs .78, for \$62.50

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We guarantee to refund the full purchase price on the above Diamonds within one year from date of purchase, or will exchange for full value at any time.

ONE TRAY OF CROSSES AT HALF PRICE.

ONE TRAY OF ENAMEL BROOCHES, BAR PINS AND COLLAR PINS AT HALF PRICE.

CUT GLASS AT HALF PRICE.

\$3.50 Olive and Bon Bon Dish, assorted designs \$1.75 each
\$4.00 Bon Bon Dishes, assorted designs \$2.00
\$4.50 Bon Bon Dishes, assorted designs \$2.25
\$5.00 Bon Bon Dishes, assorted designs \$2.50
\$5.00 Vases, floral design \$2.50
\$9.00, 2 only, 8-inch Bowls, floral design \$4.50
\$10.00, 2 only, 8-inch Bowls, floral design \$5.00
\$8.00 Low Fruit Bowls \$4.00
\$10.00 Flower Holder, star design \$5.00
\$3.50, 2 only, Cream Pitchers \$1.75
\$5.00, 1 only, Large Cream, floral \$2.50
\$5.00, 1 only, Sugar \$2.50
\$4.00, 2 only, Butter Plates, floral \$2.00
\$6.50 Creams and Sugars \$3.25
\$9.00 Creams and Sugars, 3 designs \$4.50 pair
\$2.50 Flower Basket \$1.25
\$1.00 Marmalade Jar 50c
\$1.00 Vase 50c
\$2.00 Creams and Sugars \$1.00
\$2.00 Candlesticks, pair \$1.00
\$1.50 Pepper and Salt, sterling silver top. Pair 75c

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