

### Gigantic Forced Removal Sale

Owing to the Asepto store, corner Mill and Union streets having been sold, we are forced to sell a quantity of our stock at greatly reduced prices.

- Following is a list of our exceptional offers:
- Boots and Shoes**
    - Men's Waterproof Laced Boots, High Cut, Black or Tan, regular \$6.50, now \$4.88
    - Men's Laced Boots, in Patent Leather, Tan Cat or Dull Leather, regular \$5.00, now \$3.75
    - Men's Vici Kid Blucher Laced Boots, Hand Sewed, regular \$4.50, now \$3.38
    - Men's Blucher Bala, made in Grain or Box Kip, regular \$3.00, now \$2.25
    - Men's 3 Eyelet Low Shoe, Tan or Patent Leather, regular \$3.50, now \$2.50
    - Ladies' Patent Button Oxfords, Goodyear Welted Soles, regular \$3.50, now \$2.63
    - Ladies' Tan Laced Low Shoes, regular \$3.50, now \$2.63
    - Ladies' Tan Boots, Laced or Button regular \$4.00, now \$3.00
    - Ladies' Dongola Kid Lace Boots, Hand Sewed, regular \$3.25, now \$2.44
    - Ladies' Low Heel Boots, Patent Leather, regular \$3.00, now \$2.25
    - Ladies' Buttoned, Cloth Tops, Sizes 2 1/2 to 6 regular \$3.00, now \$2.25
    - Ladies' Tan Low Heel Boots, Tan Cat Buttoned regular \$3.00, now \$2.25
    - Ladies' Velvet or Satin Pumps, regular \$3.00, now \$2.25
    - Ladies' Kid Strap Slippers, regular \$1.50, now \$1.13
    - Ladies' Dongola Kid Button Boots, regular \$2.50, now \$1.88
    - Boys' Velour Calf Blucher Bala, regular \$2.50, now \$1.88
    - Boys' Box Calf Blucher Bala, regular \$2.00, now \$1.50
    - Youths' Velour Calf Blucher Bala, regular \$2.50, now \$1.88
    - Youths' Box Calf Blucher Bala, regular \$1.50, now \$1.13
    - Girls' Patent Button Boots, Cloth Tops, Sizes 11 to 2 regular \$2.50, now \$1.88
    - Girls' Laced Boots, Hand Sewed, Box Calf or Vici Kid, regular \$2.50, now \$1.88
    - Girls' Dongola Kid Laced Boots, regular \$1.50, now \$1.13
    - Child Vici Kid Laced Boots, Hand Sewed, Sizes 8 to 10 1/2, regular \$2.00, now \$1.50
    - Child Dongola Kid Button Boots, regular \$1.75, now \$1.32
    - Child Patent Leather Pumps, regular \$1.35, now \$1.00
    - Infants' Vici Kid Button or Laced Boots, regular \$1.00, now \$75c
    - Infants' Vici Kid Button or Laced Boots, regular 75c, now 57c
    - Men's Plain Rubber, Best Make, regular \$1.00, now 75c
    - Men's Plain Rubber, Best Make, regular 85c, now 64c
    - Women's Plain Rubber, Light and Warranted, regular 75c, now 57c
    - Women's Plain Rubber, regular 60c, now 45c
    - Boys' Rubbers, regular 75c, now 57c
  - Girls' Rubbers 11 to 2, regular 50c, now 38c**
  - Child Rubbers, 4 to 10 1/2, regular 45c, now 34c**
  - Men's Rubber Boots, regular \$3.50, now \$2.63**
  - Ladies' Rubber Boots, regular \$2.50, now \$1.88**
  - Men's Fancy Slippers, regular \$1.25, now 94c**
  - Women's Felt Slippers, regular \$1.25, now 94c**
  - Crookery**
    - TEA POTS, regular 20 cents each, sale price 15c
    - Regular price 25 cents each, sale price 19c
    - TOILET SETS, regular \$2.50, sale price \$1.88
    - GLASSES, regular 25c dozen, sale price 19c
    - Regular 40c doz, sale price 30c
    - Regular 65c doz, sale price 52c
    - REGULAR 85c doz, sale price 65c
    - REGULAR 60c doz, sale price 45c
    - PRESERVE DISHES, Regular 25c doz, sale price 19c
    - Regular 60c doz, sale price 45c
    - PRESERVE DISH, Regular price 20c, sale price 15c
    - Regular price 30c, sale price 20c
    - Regular price 70c, sale price 54c
    - PIECE GLASS SETS, Cream, Sugar, Spoon Holder, Butter, regular 30c, each, sale price 25c
    - Regular 90c, set sale price 68c
    - GLASS BUTTER DISH, regular price 25c, sale price 19c
    - GLASS WATER PITCHER, Regular price 25c, each, sale price 19c
    - Regular price 40c, each, sale price 30c
    - GLASS LAMPS, 15c each, sale price 11c, each
    - 25c, each, sale price 19c, each
    - 40c, each, sale price 30c, each
    - GLASS MOLASSES JUGS, 20c, each, sale price 15c, each
    - 25c, each, sale price 19c, each
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    - BOX PAPER AND ENVELOPES, 10c, sale price 7c
    - 25c, sale price 19c
    - SMOKERS SETS, metal, 50c, sale price 35c
    - SMOKERS SET, Glass, 2.00, sale price 1.50
    - DINNER SET, Regular price \$20.00, sale price \$15.00
    - Regular price \$22.00, sale price \$16.50
    - Regular price \$13.50, sale price \$9.15
    - Regular price \$7.90, sale price \$5.93
    - Regular price \$6.90, sale price \$5.28
    - TEA SETS, Regular price \$4.00, sale price \$3.00
    - Regular price \$10.00, sale price \$7.50
  - JARDINERS**
    - Regular 25c, sale price 19c
    - Regular 40c, sale price 30c
    - Regular 50c, sale price 38c
    - Regular 75c, sale price 57c
  - Suits and Overcoats**
    - MEN'S SPRING TOP COATS, Black Silk Faced, Reg. \$10.00, Sale price \$7.50
    - Reg. \$16.00, Sale price \$12.00
    - Reg. \$20.00, Sale price \$15.00
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    - Reg. \$990.00, Sale price \$742.50
    - Reg. \$995.00, Sale price \$746.25
    - Reg. \$1000.00, Sale price \$750.00

STORE OPEN FROM 8 A. M. UNTIL 10 P. M.

THE ASEPTO STORE

### Cold Weather Sores

Some people's skin is so tender that in winter they are never long free from cold sores, blisters, cracks, etc. For such Zam-Buk is really fine. Mrs. P. Drummond, of Thetford Mines, Que., writes: "For three years, as soon as cold weather has started, my little daughter's face and hands have been covered with rough watery patches, which before long turned into nasty sores. These would itch and smart terribly. They would remain on her face from fall until spring, and we could get nothing which did her any good, until a short time ago I started using Zam-Buk. Now, after Zam-Buk treatment, the sores have entirely disappeared, leaving her skin as smooth and clear as is possible."

### FEDERAL AID FOR HIGHWAYS

Continued from Page 1. Not know of any country where the federal government contributes or co-operates with the provinces as it is proposed to do in this bill. At Washington, I understand, there is a bureau of education for the purpose of instructing the people on the necessity of good highways and the manner of constructing them. I think probably, it would be well if we had in Canada such a bureau as that, because the construction and upkeep of public roads are certainly very necessary in a country like ours."

### Hotel Arrivals

Mr. W. B. Deacon, Shediac; W. C. Smith, Boston; G. T. Stockton, London; H. J. Abbott, Toronto; A. B. Westover, Philadelphia; T. L. Watkins, New York; B. Dawson and wife, Bridgewater; W. P. Parlee, Halifax; Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Clemens, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Bunch, Calgary; F. Johnston, Halifax; Mr. and Mrs. W. C. H. Grimmer, St. Stephen; H. P. McLeod, J. Howe Dickson, Fredericton; H. Rich, Chatham; G. P. Trites, Rousesay; C. W. Telling, Miss Brennan, E. R. Dorke, Montreal; H. B. Morrell, Boston; J. S. Ackhurst, Halifax; H. E. Walker, Boston; Jas. Reid, Toronto; M. M. Tall, W. J. Pugsley, Montreal; John Morrissy, Newcastle; W. B. Dickson, Hillsboro.

### Obituary

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### Scene from a Bachelor's Romance

W. H. Harder and Miss Emma Myrtle, and a supporting company of twenty-three capable players will open their St. John engagement on Monday evening with Sol Smith Russell's comedy, "A Bachelor's Romance." Maxey Harder has leased a number of high class plays of recognized merit and will present them here at popular prices. Among these

### Dairy Cattle in Healthy Condition

General Health of Cows in St. John and Kings Counties Found Upon Inspection to be Excellent.

The inspection of dairy herds contributing milk to St. John is now under way and H. U. Flewelling, of Clifton, the official employed by the Provincial Department of Agriculture was in the city last evening, and stated that he found the general health of the dairy cows thus far inspected in St. John and Kings Counties to be excellent; in fact he had not thus far seen any cows giving suspiciously of disease.

Some of the premises he said might be improved from a sanitary standpoint, and it was his duty to point out to the owners of such some of the improvements desired.

Mr. Flewelling said his instructions were not so much to condemn existing conditions as to point out ways in which the stables, care and feeding might be improved. In some cases he found that the suggestions made last year had been adopted, in others but little improvement was noticeable.

The work thus far this year had been mostly in the neighborhood of St. John. It would be continued throughout all the districts from which the milk supply was drawn and wherever there were symptoms of ill health the owners of herds would be required to call in a veterinarian to make a thorough examination before a certificate was given.

It was expected that all the herds would be gone over before the first of May, when the dairymen were required by the Board of Health to take out licenses.

Mr. Flewelling thought the present system was only designed as preliminary and educative to prepare milk producers for the more thorough inspection, which would, no doubt, ultimately be undertaken by the Board of Health.

### W. W. Hubbard Tells of Work of Fighting Pests - 1365 Nests Found in Charlotte Alone

W. W. Hubbard, secretary for agriculture was here yesterday to consult with the dairy inspector and also to meet Wm. McIntosh who as acting provincial entomologist, has been entrusted with the work of examining the various winter nests, cocoons, etc., of insects which are being sent in by the various schools in response to the request of the department of agriculture that search be made for nests of the Brown Tail moth.

A bonus of \$1 for the first nest of the Brown Tail moth has been offered by the department and in response about 600 specimens have been sent to Mr. McIntosh. Thus far however, nests have only been received from districts in the southwestern portion of the province previously known to be infested.

The force of special inspectors sent out by the provincial and federal departments of agriculture have finished their work in Charlotte county where some 1265 nests were found and they are now working in the St. John valley, four of them working with headquarters at the mouth of the Keswick and four in the country surrounding Fredericton. One hundred nests have been taken in these districts. The work will be continued up and down the St. John valley until all areas where traces of the moth have been discovered have been covered.

J. D. Rothill, who was employed for some years in this work in Massachusetts is in charge of these parties and he with R. P. Gorham, assistant horticulturalist of this province have been scouting in various directions, going north as far as Carleton county and east as far as Moncton.

Thus far no nests have been seen north of Meductic nor east of the St. John valley proper. In the lower valley nests were found at Lower Gagetown, Hampstead, and Public Landing.

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A provincial seed fair would also be held in connection with the meeting on the 20th and 21st March, when \$400 would be offered in prizes. In connection with this fair a course of instruction in seed judging would be given by Prof. G. C. Cutter, of Macdonald College, Que.

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In relation Mr. Clarke was an adherent of the Congregational church in Calais. His health has been impaired in recent years, but he had attended to his business regularly. Until three days ago nothing serious was anticipated, but this evening a diseased heart failed him and he passed away.

Dramatization of Popular Story. Bertha M. Cle's well known story "Thorns and Orange Blossoms" will be played at the Opera House this afternoon and evening by the Younglings Company. They're the final performance of the engagement, and here will also be four vanderbilt acts and the Romboli Trio of Italian opera singers as added attractions.

# ROYAL BAKING POWDER

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The only Baking Powder made from

Royal Grape Cream of Tartar

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