

25c Scotch Dress Gingham, Muslins, 12 1/2c Etc., Clearing Saturday at

These goods never saw such a low price; clearing at half their cost of production; perfect and stylish in every way. They comprise an endless variety in check and stripe Gingham, Crepes, Bordered Muslins, Chambrays, etc.; all colors well represented. Women will buy for present and next season's wear. They are half price Saturday at 12 1/2c.

15c, 18c Gingham etc., 8 1/2c

Sharp at 8.30 these underpriced Wash Goods go on sale. They are in Gingham, Chambrays, Cambrics, Muslins, and Suitings, in a good range of stripe and check patterns and plain colors. Stylish for children's dresses, etc. Regularly to 18c, Saturday 8 1/2c.

August Clearing of Summer Hose

Summer Hosiery are reduced at third or more. Note these prices:

15c, regular price 25c
18c, regular price 30c
35c, regular price 60c
39c, regular price 60c

Women's summer styles in lace and cotton in plain, coin dots, lace styles, etc.; black, tan and summer colors; all sizes.

Summer Vests

9c, were 12 1/2c 15c, were 20c
10c, were 15c 18c, were 25c

Bleached Cotton, summer make, in fancy elastic rib style, lace trimmed, part and sleeveless makes.

50c Women's Hosiery 25c

4 dozen only go on sale 8.30 a.m. Silk Lisle Women's Hosiery, in white and tan, with white or black coin dots, plain and lace ankles. 50c, on sale 25c

Summer Goods of every kind throughout the store are reduced.

85c and \$1.10 Shantung Silks 8.30 a.m. 39c

Sharp at 8.30 a.m. nine Dress Lengths of these Silks only go on sale. They are Shantung and Printed Rajas in reseda, mauve, fawn, sky and navy stripes and coin dots, 27 inches wide, Regular 85c and \$1.10, Saturday 39c

Monster Clearing of Muslin Blouses

Piles of these pretty Muslin Blouses are price told to move out quickly to-morrow. Stylish with Persian and India Lawns with fine Swiss and lace fronts in scores of new styles; long sleeves; all sizes.

49c, formerly priced to \$1.00
79c, formerly priced to \$1.50
98c, formerly priced to \$1.75
\$1.29, formerly priced to \$2.50

Black Goods Sale Continued

Hundreds have been taking advantage of these savings during the sale.

59c, formerly 85c and \$1.00
69c, formerly \$1.10 and \$1.25
79c, formerly \$1.10 and \$1.25
Others at 89c, 98c up to \$1.49

All weaves are well represented in styles suitable for street or morning wear. Black Wool Dress Goods of high standard and merit reduced.

Summer Millinery

Two remaining clearing lots of our Millinery left for to-morrow; street and stylish Dress Hats, the last styles, at give-away prices. Just the kind you want to finish the season out.

\$1.49, formerly \$5.00 to \$8.00
\$3.98, formerly \$10 to \$15
All remaining Children's Straw Sailors are marked to clear at once.

HONORED HIM.

Presentation to H. M. Davy From Chosen Friends.

A pleasant evening was spent by the members of Wentworth Council, No. 234, C. O. C. F., on Wednesday, when Organizer H. M. Davy, of Toronto, who has been working here for the past three weeks in the interests of the society,



H. M. DAVY.

was presented with a Morris chair and an address, which was read by Past Councilor Swazey. The address expressed the appreciation of the old and new members of the Council of his splendid services and wished him abundant success in the future. It was signed by G. W. Smith, C. C. A. Swayze, P. C. C., and W. B. Smith, Recorder.

Mr. Davy was taken completely by surprise, but responded in a few well chosen words, thanking the members for their kind appreciation of his services, and assured them he would always hold in fond memory the pleasant three weeks spent among them in the Ambition City. During Mr. Davy's campaign here he has increased the membership of this Council from 117 to 170, with the assistance of some of the members, who were awarded prizes for their efforts, Past President Swayze receiving first, Mrs. Halcore second, and Mrs. Erwin third.

Refreshments were served and dancing enjoyed for the remainder of the evening, after which all wished Mr. Davy a bright and successful future and a speedy return to visit them.

TIMES PATTERNS.



GIRL'S OVER-BLOUSE DRESS.

No. 8253.—A dainty mode for the little maid. Cut in sizes 4, 6, 8, 10, 12 years. The eight-year size will require 3 1/2 yards of 36-inch material. This design is unusually smart and pretty, and is suitable to any of the season's wool goods, wash silks or cottons. The blouse is made with front, back and sleeves all in one piece, and is designed to be worn over a guimpe, although for warm weather the guimpe could be omitted, making a dainty little low-necked frock.

A pattern of this illustration will be mailed to any address on the receipt of 10 cents in silver or stamps.

Address, "Pattern Department," Times Office, Hamilton.

It will take several days before you can get pattern.

OFF TO SEE FATHER.

Kingston Woman Learns Secret of Her Birth From Foster Parents.

Kingston, Aug. 12.—On a journey to British Columbia, to search for her father, whom she has never seen, is the mission of Mrs. Chas. Herbert, who left today in company with her husband.

Twenty-three years ago Fred Fettington, a soldier in the barracks here, serving his time and left the city hurriedly, leaving a young wife. Nine days later his wife died, after giving birth to a daughter. The infant was cared for by Mrs. Fettington's brother, John Tisdale, of Barfield, and was given her foster parents' name. She did not know but that they were real parents, bore the name of Rosa Tisdale in girlhood, and married under that name.

After deserting his wife, Fettington engaged as a sailor and it was reported he was drowned. Now comes a report that he is in British Columbia, and for this reason she was told the secret. She then wrote her father, got an answer and naturally enough wants to see him.

Your Physician's Prescription

Or your family recipe will be filled with accuracy and dispatch at Gerrie's drug store, No. 32 James street north. This store is one of the best equipped in the province, has a staff of qualified, attentive assistants, and a large volume of business, which insures to you pure and fresh medicine.

Stanley Mills & Co., Limited

Friday, August 13th, 1909

STORE CLOSÉS 5 O'CLOCK DAILY (EXCEPT SATURDAY)

All White Hosiery Stock Must Go!

SPLENDID REDUCTIONS ARE BEING MADE AT CLEARING PRICES

Rather a big order, isn't it? But we don't look for any difficulty in disposing of this stock, when you see the many dainty lines for yourself. And at such prices, too. Just look at the following descriptions of a few of the lines.

WOMEN'S WHITE LISLE HOSE, in

plain or lace clocked, all lace or lace boot, fashioned throughout, very dainty and cool. Regular 50c, on Saturday for 25c

CHILDREN'S WHITE CASHMERE

Sox, in plain and lace, made of fine, soft cashmere yarn, sizes 4 to 8. Regular 15 to 25c pair, special 2 for 25c

WOMEN'S TAN LISLE THREAD HOSE, in plain or lace boot, in the correct shades. This is very special, at, per pair 25c

WOMEN'S FANCY LISLE THREAD HOSE, in plain or lace boot, or all lace or embroidered, in correct shades of tan. Special, per pair 50c

CHILDREN'S WHITE COTTON VESTS, nicely trimmed and with tape around the neck, with half sleeves or no sleeves, in all sizes. Special price for Saturday, 2 for 25c



WOMEN'S FANCY WHITE LISLE

Thread Hose, in plain, all lace or lace boot. Regular 35c, on Thursday for 25c

WOMEN'S WHITE COTTON STOCKINGS, with dainty black polka dot. Regular 25c, for 15c

WOMEN'S WHITE COTTON VESTS, with long sleeves, shaped waist, silk pleat, buttoned front, neatly trimmed, special 15c

WOMEN'S WHITE COTTON DRAWERS, extra wide, knee length, trimmed with lace. On Saturday 25c

WOMEN'S PLAIN TAN COTTON HOSE, correct shades, seamless throughout, double heels and toes and elastic tops. Special, per pair 15c

CHILDREN'S KNITTED WHITE COTTON WAISTS, well strapped, buttons around the waists for fastening the undergarments on; in all sizes. On Saturday 25c

Three Specials in the Ready-to-Wear Department

SUMMER DRESSES of white lawn, dotted Swiss muslin and light and dark percale, made in shirtwaist or princess style; trimmed with insertion and tucks or fancy border. Regular \$4.50 to \$6.00, on Saturday \$2.89

JUMPER DRESSES of fine print, in blue and white, pink and white check. Waist cut square back and front, full blouse, trimmed with bias folds of self; gored skirts trimmed to match. This is something worth while. \$1.49

SEPARATE COATS of white linen and Indian Head, made in a semi-fitting style, coat collar and lapels; turn cuffs and patch pockets. This makes a dandy coat to slip on these cool evenings. Special Saturday 1.89

SHOE REDUCTIONS

Some Specials for Saturday in Shoes

WOMEN'S CHOCOLATE DONGOLA KID and Tan Calf Low Shoes, chocolate cloth tops, three button, Blucher style and three strap buckle; sizes 2 1/2 to 6. Regular \$3, on Saturday for \$2.19

WOMEN'S LOW SHOES, in chocolate and Black Dongola Kid, medium weight soles and military heels. Sizes 2 1/2 to 7. Regular \$1.50 and \$1.75. For Saturday \$1.19

GIRLS' STRAP SLIPPERS, in black, chocolate and patent medium weight soles and spring heels, in sizes 8 to 10 1/2. On Saturday .85c

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The St. Joseph Union to-night celebrated its golden jubilee with appropriate exercises.

CUTTING OFF LICENSES.

Policy of "Third Offences" Adopted by Province.

Toronto, Aug. 13.—The Provincial License Department has received a notice of the conviction of William Boyer, a hotelkeeper in the town of Wallaceburg, for a third offence of selling in prohibited hours. The Magistrate imposed a fine of \$200.

The conviction, being a third one, necessitates a cancellation of the license under the act, which lapses accordingly at the end of a month, unless the hotelman is successful in the appeal he is making to quash the conviction before the County Judge. It also disqualifies the licensee for three years from re-engaging in the business. The Crown Attorney of Kent will represent the Province in supporting the conviction at the hearing of the appeal.

During the past two years a number of hotelmen have lost their licenses under the operation of this clause of the act. The department is determined that the law shall be lived up to, and has expressed its intention of proceeding with all cases against a licensee-holder in rotation, the third conviction culminating in the cancellation of the license. With this end in view inspectors were notified two years ago to cease the prevalent practice of making every offence a first offence, and proceed to enforce the law according to its expressed intent.

The result, according to the chief officer of the department, has been highly satisfactory in securing adherence to the law on the part of hotelmen.

Whitewear

CORSET COVERS of white Nainsook, full front, yoke of embroidery and lace insertion, tucks down back. Finished at arms and neck with lace. Sizes 34 to 42 bust. Peplum on bottom. On Saturday 50c

WOMEN'S SKIRTS of white cotton, 20 inch flounce, clusters of ten pin tucks, finished with embroidery trim and dust ruffle. Length of skirt, 38, 40 and 42 inches. Saturday 98c

THE FLIGHT OF BADDECK NO. 1.

A Short But Successful Test at Petawawa Camp.

Will Take No Chances Until All is Ready.

Baldwin and McCurdy Express Their Satisfaction.

Petawawa Camp, Aug. 12.—Canada's own flying machine, Baddeck No. 1, aéroplane, with John A. D. McCurdy at the controlling wheel, made her first ascent from the ground this afternoon at a quarter past 5. True, the ascent was neither a high nor a long one, being only a rise of ten feet and a hop of a hundred feet in length, but it served to illustrate to the large crowd present that the drome was capable of leaving terra firma. At 4.55 this afternoon Baddeck No. 1 was again taken out of her shed. This time Mr. McCurdy announced that he would only make a short hop. Clad in a natty white sailor costume, he mounted the seat and about a hundred yards from the shed W. McDonald, the machinist, started the propeller. The machine started off like a shot down the road, attaining a high speed with great quickness. The engine ran smoothly, and only the loud whirr of the propeller could be heard. After going about two hundred yards McCurdy was seen to give the control a quick jerk upwards, the drome responding beautifully. Like a huge, graceful bird it soared into the air a short distance, and still keeping up its high speed, went through space, alighting a hundred feet or more farther on with ease. The drome skimmed over the surface of the ground for perhaps an eighth of a mile, the aviator then stopping her.

The aviators are evidently taking no chances with Baddeck No. 1, preferring to start off with small hops before attempting anything big. Mr. McCurdy stated after alighting that he was entirely satisfied with the way the machine behaved in the short trial. He further stated that he would continue the short hops for the next few days. "It's a new machine, you know," he said, "and we have to learn to drive an automobile. We cannot take any chances until we get her true and know all her points. The engine ran in fine shape to-night. All the changes that will be necessary for to-morrow's work will be the replacing of the present switch on the controlling wheel. The one used to-day was unsatisfactory. This will be only an hour's work."

A distinguished gathering, including General Otter, chief of general staff; Col. Fiset, Deputy Minister of Militia; Col. Rutherford, Quarter of Ordnance; General McDonald, master of the air; for Maunsell, and other military men and prominent civilians witnessed the afternoon's event. Various were the comments made by these gentlemen. "He's a plucky chap. It's wonderful to see it go so fast," exclaimed Col. Fiset, as the machine sped along preparatory to leaving the ground. "He's right to take all precautions. A man cannot take his life in his hand; he did quite right in delaying the tests. I'd like to shake hands with them (meaning McCurdy and Baldwin)," added Col. Fiset, when the drome had been returned to the shed.

Suiting the action to the word, he, with General Otter, Col. Rutherford, General McDonald and Major Maunsell, went over to the young aviators and heartily congratulated them on the fine showing made. It was General Otter, Col. Rutherford and General McDonald's first sight of an aéroplane and they were all extremely pleased with what they witnessed during the afternoon. They will remain in camp until Saturday.

TRAIN CREW EXONERATED.

Nuns Killed on the Bridge Had No Right to Be There.

Montreal, Aug. 12.—The engineer and fireman of the C. P. R. train which killed two nuns on the bridge at Bord-eaux on Tuesday were acquitted of any blame to-day by the Crown's jury. Although the bridge is frequently used by pedestrians, they are forbidden to do so by notices posted on each end. The nuns had no right on the bridge, and were taking great risks in making the crossing.

The busiest spot in the world is said to be in the vicinity of Mansion House, London, where 37 vehicles pass every minute during the day.

ANDERSON'S FATE.

GOT THREE YEARS FOR VARIOUS CHEQUE FRAUDS.

Pleading Guilty to Issuing Cheques Which Were Illegally Marked "Accepted" by the Bank, and of Forging Others.

Toronto, Aug. 13.—John A. G. Anderson, the ex-clerk of the Bank of Montreal, who pleaded guilty to forgery in the Police Court before Colonel Denison a week ago, was sentenced to three years in Kingston Penitentiary yesterday.

It is a case of forgery on a wholesale scale. A large number of people have been victimized by this man. It is a bad case," said the Magistrate in passing sentence. Afterwards he added: "I have dealt very lightly with you."

Anderson appeared completely crushed by the sentence. He bowed his head on the dock for a moment and then moved away without making any sign to his aged father, who sat at the solicitor's table, a couple of feet away. Like a man who had received a bad blow, he groped his way down the dock stairs and clutched the radiator for support when he reached the bottom.

The only charge laid against the youth was that of passing a forged cheque for \$125 upon the T. Eaton Co., but the youth's forgeries were widespread, and totalled upwards of \$3,000. Before being arrested in Vancouver Anderson had travelled from Toronto to France, and from there back through the United States and Canada to the Pacific coast. His line of travel was marked by a trail of forged cheques, stamped with a bogus "accepted" stamp of the Bank of Montreal.

His counsel, Mr. T. C. Robinette, K. C., made a brief and pointed plea for mercy. "He is only 22 years of age," said Mr. Robinette, "and might yet become a useful member of society. He was very clever at college and became a gold medalist. It was through making a false step he fell, and before he knew what had happened he was out on a career of forgery."

Anderson's father, a bent, white-haired old man, was in court. He had a few minutes' conversation with his boy before the case was called. After the sentence was pronounced he left the court without a word.

THREE DROWNINGS.

Boy at Toronto and Man in B. C. Meet Death.

Toronto, Aug. 13.—While bathing in the Humber River opposite the Lambton Golf Links, twelve-year-old Willie T. E. Crabtree, of 7 Hannah avenue, West Toronto, was drowned yesterday afternoon. The two companions of the boy, aged eight and ten respectively, reported the occurrence to two men working in a market garden near the river, who located and recovered the body after about fifteen minutes search.

Vancouver, Aug. 12.—Tobias Trimitt, a Newfoundland fisherman, in the Fraser River below Steveston Lighthouse, was leaning over to grasp a kettle which had fallen aboard, when he fell into the water. His companion, Isaac Abbott, also a Newfoundland, tried to grasp him, but he never reappeared. The body was found entangled in the nets.

Edmonton, Alta., Aug. 12.—John Welch, 33, a native of Listowel, was drowned last evening in the Vermilion River at Vermilion while bathing with a companion, Eric Richardson, Welch, formerly with the R. J. Whittall people in Winnipeg, came recently to Vermilion to manage the Western Trading Company.

POUND OF FLESH.

Mexican Tried to Take It In Payment of Debt.

New York, Aug. 12.—A despatch to the Times from Los Angeles says: Because Ramon Santa Ana, a laborer, could not pay a debt of 25 cents to Frank Sanchez, a fellow-laborer at Latin, the latter took at least half a pound of flesh from him. Santa Ana came to the receiving hospital to-day for treatment of his left arm, from which much blood had been taken.

"I could not pay the two bits when he came for it yesterday," said Santa Ana, "and Frank pulled a big knife from his boot leg and got me. 'I'll have a pound of flesh, then,' he said, and he got a big piece—I don't think it is a pound, though. I tried to get away from him, but he was too quick for me."

QUEBEC BRIDGE.

No Trouble Among the Engineers as to the Work.

May Build Suspension Instead of Cantilever Bridge.

(Special Despatch to the Times.)

Ottawa, Ont., Aug. 12.—There is no foundation for the report of an unbreakable deadlock between the engineers who are preparing plans for the Quebec bridge. The fact is that as the work is the largest of the kind in the world, and as there is a disastrous example before them, the engineers are proceeding in the most thorough manner possible. Many problems arise in the working out of plans, and each of the engineers work them out separately. When they do not agree in their conclusions they call in outside engineers to give an opinion upon the point in question. As announced a month ago, Messrs. Holgate, of Montreal, and Noble, of New York, were asked to give an opinion on a probable connection with the substructure, and Messrs. Johnson, of Lacrosse, and Willett, of Pittsburg, were secured to give an opinion on a superstructure question. Their opinions will be considered by the three engineers who constitute the regular commission. It is possible that the suspension may be substituted for the cantilever, but that is not decided. The prospects are that the plans for the bridge will not be ready to submit to the Government for some time yet.

PYTHON DEAD.

Killed by Horn of Goat It Was Swallowing.

Logansport, Ind., Aug. 12.—A goat caused the death of the royal rajah python which Gus Lambrigger was exhibiting here. The python, which is said to have been more than 100 years old, was 27 feet long and weighed 300 pounds. The snake, aroused from its dormant state, showed signs of hunger. Pythons will eat nothing but live animals.

A live billy goat was forced into the snake's feeding pen. The huge python fastened his eyes on the covering animal and soon had it "charmed." Then before the spell was broken, it sprang forward and wrapped its huge body about the terrified goat.

The bones were crushed like eggshells and life was squeezed out of the body almost in the twinkling of an eye. The snake then began to cover the crushed body with saliva. When this was done, it started to swallow the body whole.

One of the billy goat's horns became imbedded in the python's throat, and in the snake's effort to obtain relief the horn severed an artery. In its dying agonies the python lashed and squirmed about the tent.

Claude Linville, one of the employees, was struck and knocked fifteen feet. He was picked up unconscious, but revived when a physician applied restorative.

RUN INTO.

Soldiers Marching Column in Britain Suffers Severely.

London, Aug. 12.—Ninety-eight men of the 10th Battalion were marching along a road at 4.30 o'clock in a rather heavy mist, when a motor van belonging to a London newspaper came along from the rear. Most of the soldiers were singing, and therefore did not hear its approach. The men in the rear ranks, however, heard the warning and parted to right and left to let it pass, while the men in the centre of the column continued to sing.

The car, which was travelling at a high rate of speed, rushed into the midst of their ranks, hurling the men in all directions. When it was half-way through the column it was stopped and seized by the infuriated soldiers. The latest report is that ten men were seriously injured, but that no one was killed.

Saved by a Majority of One.

Adelaide, Australia, Aug. 12.—A motion picture of confidence in the Government, brought in by the leader of the Labor party after a wearisome stone-throwing by Labor members, was rejected by a majority of one in the South Australia Assembly yesterday.

Stanley Mills & Co., Limited

Beach Delivery Every Wednesday

SENT FOR TRIAL.

Two Charges of Infanticide Laid Against Mrs. Robinson.

Sudbury, Aug. 12.—At a short preliminary hearing at Warren, Mrs. Robinson was committed for trial on two charges of infanticide. She is now in Sudbury jail. She was accompanied by her brother, Rev. Mr. Matheson, a Presbyterian minister at Beachburg, who hurriedly came to Warren yesterday and visited the homestead. He has secured counsel for the defence of his sister, and they have returned to Warren to-day.

Robinson has not been apprehended, although a large force of constables are searching the country for him. He is an expert bushman, and is supposed to have struck for the far north. Another report has it that he visited his home yesterday morning. The two daughters, Jessie and Ellen, testified against their mother at the preliminary trial yesterday. The authorities are searching for another body, supposed to be buried on the farm.

SUNDAY WORK.

Attitude of Alliance on Sunday Ice Cream Trade.

Toronto, Aug. 13.—Rev. T. Albert Moore, secretary Lord's Day Alliance, returned to the city yesterday. Speaking to a reporter of the activity that is shown by the Toronto police in regard to the sale of ice cream and cool soft beverages on Sundays, Mr. Moore said: "The alliance has never instituted any prosecutions in Toronto. It has not, commends the cautious and energetic enforcement of the Lord's day act by the city police. Its attitude in regard to the sale of ice cream at other times than with meals is first, that it is a violation of the law, and because its indiscriminate sale would entail unnecessary Sunday work on at least 2,000 people in Toronto."

Young Bull Moose Captured.

Parry Sound, Aug. 12.—The Hotel Klipping zoo has a three-months-old bull moose, which was rescued by a south-bound C. P. R. freight train crew. The animal was caught in a wire fence and was injuring itself in an effort to escape. The moose is being doctored and tamed.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of J. C. Watson

TYPOS' MEETING.

Next Year's Convention—Decision in Mortuary Benefit.

St. Joseph, Mo., Aug. 12.—Minneapolis was to-day chosen on the first ballot as the meeting place of next year's session of the International Typographical Union.

Practically the entire time of the convention to-day was taken up with the discussion of the fight between the Typographical Union and General Harrison Grey Oils, of the Los Angeles Times.

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