

Just Folks.

By EDGAR A GUEST

THE ROAD TO GLORY.
You'll never get to glory, lad, along the glittering road.
Your shoulders must be big and strong to bear the heavy load.
And you must put the pleasures by, the painted cheek and smiling eye, the merry dance and rousing song, to do what duty asks.
The road to glory's straight, and far away from where the revels are, a dusty mile to tread and a countless dreary task.

Two ways there are for youth to go, and one is gay with song, and the other calls for earnest men, and the rugged hearts and strong.
Bewitching sirens lure the feet of those who sigh for pleasures sweet.
When the purse is empty, boy, in scorn they pass you by.
The time enough to dance and sing when you have done some useful thing.
And youth must strike for goals afar which old men dare not try.

You'll never get to glory, lad, by travelling pleasure's way.
The steps aside for dance and game shall see his strength decay.
He hand your shoulders to the load, and trudge the rough and dusty road.
And choose the brave and earnest souls whose eyes are turned to distant goals, and shall make you strong and wise and peace shall dwell with you.

The Archie Harrod Jubilee Concert Party

ENTERTAINING BY SILVIA TO FILL ENGAGEMENT AT NICKEL THEATRE.

Among the passengers that arrived on the S.S. Silvia were the Archie Harrod Concert Party, who are to give an engagement in the Nickel Theatre, commencing Monday next. This group of talented colored artists are being sent to the North American Continent as refined and brilliant entertainers of an exceptionally high order. Their programme, consisting of musical Plantation Melodies, Negro Spiritual Folk Songs, Dialect Readings and Instrumental numbers. Archie Harrod himself is considered to be a Tenor of rare tonal quality combined with remarkable expression. The remainder of the party are Lillian Mayo, gifted Soprano; Mathilda Palm has a voice of purity and power with an added dramatic effect; the Woodland Hariton is an artist who has far out of the ordinary in him the St. John's public can look forward to a vocal attraction of worth hearing. Miss Belle Hart, Mezzo-Soprano, is an artist in every sense of the word. We can safely say in the above party of vocalists and musicians, the Nickel Theatre is offering St. John's an entertainment such as has not been surpassed in many years, and there is not the slightest doubt but it will be met with the unstinted appreciation of the public.

The Dwyer Sisters, the peppy attraction, booked to appear at the Crescent, will arrive in a day or two. This party has just concluded a series of successful engagements in Canada and the U.S.A., and comes to St. John's very highly recommended as the snappiest singing and dancing act on the Continent. Further particulars concerning these performers will appear in Saturday's papers.

We have been fortunate in securing the Sole Agency for the beautiful White Rose Cut Glass. What better could you give for an Easter Gift?—J. T. CAMPBELL—April 12, 1924.

Prince Among Bandits

RELIED CAPTURE OF NOTORIOUS NAIL ROBBER.

New York detectives believe that Earl Chapman, "the Millionaire Bandit" who was reported to be in Paris or in London, with two companions, is now under arrest in Greenville, Kentucky. A man, closely answering Chapman's description arrived in the Kentucky town a few days ago, accompanied by his wife and two children. After being watched, he was arrested. He denied that he was the man for whom he had been taken, but he is nevertheless being held until Federal officers can examine him. Chapman is one of the most daring mail bandits with whom the Federal authorities have had to deal. He is said to have headed an organization that carried on a systematic robbery of mails in various parts of the East. He himself was convicted and sent to Atlanta Penitentiary for having engineered the robbery of a truckload of registered mail in New York, when \$200,000 worth of bonds and other securities were taken. He once escaped from the Atlanta Penitentiary. The first time a posse captured him and a companion after a fight. Shortly after, while still in custody, he fled from hospital by jumping out of a window.

Just received from Burgeo, 600 pounds FRESH HALIBUT, not old storage.—W. E. BEARNS.

PREPARING for EASTER

at The Royal Stores

Only two days more now remain in which to complete your Easter preparations. Every moment is precious. Take advantage of the countless Easter suggestions available at this Store. Get the utmost for every moment and every penny you spend, by taking advantage of these special prices for Thursday and Saturday.

Special Bargain in New English COSTUMES

We have just received a limited number of English Tweed Costumes, Man Tailored—which means that the seams have been pressed as only a man's strength can do it. These Suits are not only distinctive looking, they are distinctive values that women will appreciate. Superior style and workmanship in every inch of these Costumes. They come in Stripe and Check and Plain Tweeds, in assorted Greys, Fawns and Browns; some slightly shaped, others full, with and without belts, pretty Paisley Linings; assorted sizes.

\$15.50

Smallwares

PALM OLIVE TALCUM—Assorted. Reg. 35c. per tin **28c.**
ERASMIC TOOTH SOAP—In Fancy tins. Reg. 40c. **34c.**
LUXOR COLD CREAM—In Crocks. Reg. 65c. per crock for **55c.**
ARMOUR SHAVING SOAP—In nickel tins. Reg. 38c. **32c.**
FRIPPS TOILET SOAP—Delightfully perfumed. Regular 15c. per cake for **11c.**
PURE GLYCERINE—Double distilled. Reg. 17c. per bottle for **15c.**
ROYAL VIOLETTA CREAM—Small and large tins; the ideal remedy for skin irritation. Small size. Reg. 45c. tin for 35c. Large size. Reg. 60c. tin for 50c.
ABSORBENT COTTON—1 lb. packages. Reg. \$1.35 **\$1.15** per package for

Special Values in Household Needs

Cushion Covers.
Fawn Linen Cushion Covers, with hemstitched border, neatly embroidered in pretty colors; sizes 20 x 20. Reg. \$1.30 each for **95c.**

Sideboard Cloths.
Fawn Linen, with fancy centre, trimmed with a beautiful imitation Yack Lace; size 18 x 52. Reg. \$1.15 each for **\$1.00**

Duchess Sets.
Four piece Set, made of a very fine embroidered Lawn trimmed with pretty worked edging; extra special value. Reg. 65c. per set for **52c.**

Breakfast Cloths.
Made from fine mercerized Damask, with fancy colored borders of Red and Blue, with fringe. Reg. **\$1.62**
Reg. 45c. each for **40c.**
Reg. 55c. each for **49c.**

Turkish Towelling.
Striped Towelling of a superior quality; 15 inches wide. Reg. 27c. per yard for **25c.**

Chintz.
A splendid assortment of New Chintz; 36 inches wide, in beautiful designs, shades of Blue, Grey, Fawn and Green, etc. Reg. 50c. per yard for **44c.**
Reg. 75c. per yard for **68c.**

Old Bleach Linen.
36 inches wide, in White and Brown, ideal for fancy work. White. Reg. \$1.50 yard. S. Price **\$1.25**
Brown. Reg. \$1.15 yard. S. Price **\$1.00**

Rope Doors Mats.
Plain centre, red border, very serviceable. Size 14 x 22. Reg. 55c. each for **48c.**
Size 16 x 27. Reg. 60c. each for **49c.**

The New Spring Blouses

Tricolette Smocks.

Colors of Peacock, Henna, Jade, Lavender, Peach, Sand and Flesh; round neck, long and short sleeves with and without collar; sizes 36 to 44. Reg. \$2.10 each for **\$2.85**

Muslin Smocks.

Peter Pan collar, long sleeves with turned cuffs, colors of Tan and White, prettily trimmed with embroidery in assorted colors. Reg. \$2.00 each for **\$1.80**

Jersey Knit Pants.

Women's Knit Pants, closed styles, knee length, trimmed with lace; sizes 36 to 40. Reg. 60c. pair for **53c.**

Jersey Knit Vests.

Women's Vests, short sleeves, good quality Jersey knit; sizes 36 and 38. Regular 22c. each for **19c.**

D. & A. Corsets.

Made of special quality White, Coutil, well boned, suitable for medium stout figures, fitted with four elastic suspenders; sizes 21 to 30 inches. Reg. **\$1.86**
\$2.10 pair. Sale Price

Taffeta Ribbon.

5 inches wide, in assorted pretty Paisley patterns, exquisite colorings, suitable for Millinery and Hair Ties. Reg. 45c. per yard for **39c.**

White Jean Middies

Child's and Misses' sizes, half sleeves, wide hipper band buttoned at side, with Saxe and Navy collars; to fit ages 6 to 14 years. Reg. \$2.25 each for **\$2.00**

Child's Dresses.

Checked Gingham Dresses, in assorted colors, trimmed with plain shades, to fit ages 2 to 10 years. Reg. \$1.45 each for **\$1.29**

Cloth Skirts.

Accordion pleated in colors of Blue and Nigger Brown, with assorted stripes of effects, in pretty Roman stripes; sizes 34 to 38 length, 24 to 28 waist. These are new arrivals and exceptionally good values. Reg. \$5.00 each for **\$4.55**

Flannel Dressing Gowns.

These come in beautiful shades of Rose, Blue, Mauve and Purple, nicely trimmed with pretty Paisley Silk; Kim-ona sleeves. Reg. \$12.00 ea. for **\$10.40**

Silk Scarves.

A splendid assortment of beautiful striped Silk Scarves, in all the very newest color combinations, finished with heavy fringe. If you would be in vogue this season you must wear a scarf. Reg. \$1.75 each for **\$1.53**

Banded Veils.

Silk Net, 45 inches long, shades of Light and Dark Navy, fancy mesh, with velvet band. Reg. 75c. each for **65c.**

Beautiful Dresses at Sale Prices

Our New Dresses for Easter and the Spring are now on display. They are cut on simple lines and contrasted with a riot of richness in fancy stitching, beading and braided trimming, in all the newest Spring materials and colors. We have selected two lines, which are offered at specially reduced prices.

Gaberdine Dresses.

Colors of Navy, Brown and Black; long loose sleeves, v neck. Crossover effect, nicely trimmed with silk braid; finish with fancy buckle and belt. Regular \$15.00 each. Sale **\$13.15**

Crepe de Chene Dresses.

Pretty Dresses, in shades of Navy, Grey, Cinnamon Brown and Dark Brown; short sleeves, v neck, long waist. Accordion pleated Skirt, neatly trimmed with fancy silk stitching and lace. Reg. \$18.50 each. Sale Price **\$16.55**

Stationery

Dennison's Crepe Paper
A new shipment just arrived, in all shades. Reg. 20c. **17c.**
per fold. Sale Price

Table Napkins.

Dennison's Crepe Paper Table Napkins, with notched edge, in the very newest designs. Reg. 10c. per doz. S. Price **8c.**

Initial Seals.

Dennison's Correspondence Initial Seals, 25 in box. Reg. 13c. box. S. Price **11c.**

Dennison's Covered Wire.

For flower making, in White and Green. Reg. 13c. pr. spool. Sale Price **11c.**

Crayons.

The Valesques colored Crayons, 8 assorted colors in box. Reg. 7c. per box. Sale Price **6c.**

New Dress Goods for Spring

Softly they adapt themselves to the favored styles, expressing the true spirit of Springtime. There are many new fabrics, each seemingly more lovely than the other.

Here are some at Sale Prices.

Kanton Crepe.

38 inches wide, shades of Fawn, Brown, Navy and Henna, truly a leader in Spring Fashions. Reg. \$2.50 per yard for **\$2.20**

Gaberdine.

Shades of Grey, Brown, Fawn, Navy and Cardinal; 38 inches wide; a very superior quality exceptional value. Reg. \$1.45 yard for **\$1.26**

"Jacquard" Suiting.

All Wool Suiting, in pretty broad-ed effects, colors of Brown, Navy and Black; 56 inches wide. The very newest for Spring. Reg. \$3.30 per yard for **\$2.97**

Pongette.

An excellent substitute for Silk, in colors of Fawn, Pale Blue, White and Lavender; 32 inches wide. Reg. 65c. per yard for **59c.**

Shantung Silk.

34 inches wide, shades of Mauve, Rose, Jade, Grey, Brown, Pink, Fawn, Navy, White and Cream. Reg. \$2.50 per yard for **\$2.30**

Indian Head Linen.

Known the World over, recommended for its many uses, of unsurpassed quality; 35 inches wide. S. Price **43c.**

Gingham Remnants.

A splendid assortment, in assorted checks, plaids and self colors. These come in very useful lengths; 32 inches wide. Special remnant Price, per yard **34c.**

News of Interest to the Men

Men's Suits.

Very special quality Tweed, in assorted mixtures, 3 button coat, cuff bottom pants, cut on the very latest lines, and perfectly tailored; sizes 3 to 7. Reg. \$13.75 **\$12.50**

Men's Socks.

Fine Wool Socks, shades of Brown and Fawn, extra spliced heels and toes, all sizes. Reg. 65c. pair for **59c.**

Rubber Belts.

Men's pure Rubber Belts, with fancy buckle. Reg. 21c. 25c. each for **21c.**

Men's Fabric Gloves.

Special quality, Suede finish, in Grey only; sizes 7 to 9. Ideal for Easter wear. Reg. \$1.25 pair for **\$1.07**

Men's Kid Gloves.

Tan Cape Kid, silk lined; all sizes. Regular \$3.30 pair **\$2.81** for

Boys' Knitted Suits.

Jersey Knit, Polo collar, open front, with three buttons, plain pants, with brace buttons; sizes 20 to 28 inch; colors of Grey, Saxe, Emerald, Cardinal, Brown and Navy.

Size 20 inch. Reg. \$4.00 suit for **\$3.60**
Size 22 inch. Reg. \$4.25 suit for **\$3.76**
Size 24 inch. Reg. \$4.50 suit for **\$3.95**
Size 26 inch. Reg. \$4.75 suit for **\$4.35**
Size 28 inch. Reg. \$5.25 suit for **\$4.65**

Men's New Felts.

New Spring shapes, in Men's Felt Hats; colors of Brown, Fawn and Grey; all sizes. Reg. \$3.20 each for **\$2.97**
Reg. \$4.00 each for **\$3.65**

Our men's wear section is now resplendent in all the good things for Easter and Spring wear. New arrivals are crowding us to the limit. Such a wonderful assortment that you are sure to get exactly what you require for Easter and at wonderfully low prices for such quality goods.

Crepe Ties.

Wide flowing ends, in the very latest designs and colorings. If you want a real tie, one that will stand hard wear, secure one of these. Reg. \$1.45 each for **\$1.23**

Silk Ties.

A wonderful selection in wide flowing ends, in the very newest coloring, for Easter and Spring wear. Reg. 30c. each for **26c.**
Reg. 45c. each for **42c.**
Reg. 55c. each for **49c.**

Boys' Kid Gloves.

Tan Cape Kid, unlined, assorted sizes. Regular \$1.85 per pair **\$1.66** for

Boys' Pants.

Made of heavy Cheviot Serge, colors of Brown, Grey and Fawn; lined throughout; to fit ages 3 to 9 years. These are exceptionally good value for \$2.00 per pair. Thursday **\$1.19** and Saturday

Boys' Sport Shirts.

Made of extra strong Percale, plain white and white with colored stripes, Polo collar, half sleeves; sizes 12 1/2 to 14. Regular **\$1.12**
\$1.50 each for

Velour Hats.

Men's English all Fur Velour Hats, in shades of Grey and Brown, silk lined, in the newest shapes for Spring. Regular \$10.00 **\$8.75** each for

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