

WEATHER REPORTS from the ROYAL STORES for FRIDAY & SATURDAY

Heavy Showers of Bargains

In Seasonable Wearing Apparel for Men, Women and Children.

Friday and Saturday Specials in High Grade Footwear

LADIES' OXFORD SHOES.

New models from a famous maker, Black Dongola, Blucher styles; sizes 2½ to 7, emdium heels. Reg. \$1.70 pair. **1.55**

LADIES' KID BOOTS.

80 pairs only, Black Vel Kid, laced and buttoned styles, patent tips, medium Cuban heels, in a full range of sizes. Reg. \$2.15 pair. **1.95**

MISSIE'S TAN BOOTS.

Stout quality for school and outdoor wear, Blucher and button styles; sizes 11 to 2. Regular \$2.00 pair. **1.78**

MEN'S SHOES.

The balance of our Summer stock of Tan and Black Vel Kid shoes for men; all good shapes, all sizes. Reg. \$4.20 pair. **3.85**A clearing sale of Men's Black Extra Vel Kid Boots in the following sizes only: 6, 6½, 9 and 10; Balmoral and Blucher styles. Values up to \$4.00 pair. **2.95**

Bargains that Cannot Fail to Satisfy

FRIDAY and SATURDAY will be rousing shopping days at the Royal Stores.

The list given here is another ringing call to economical buyers that you can appreciate.

Dainty Neckwear

We offer our entire stock of beautiful Neckwear, recently imported from New York at remarkable price reductions. The stock includes Fancy Collars, Side Frills, Fichu Stock Collars, &c., in materials of Lace, Net, Silk, Velvet and Embroidery effects; all new creations. These were bought to sell at 30c. and 40c. each. Offered on Friday and Saturday at

8c, 10c, 13c and 18c.

Housefurnishing Department

The following are but a few of the many chances that this department offers to secure GOOD GOODS at Little Prices.



CIRCULAR PILLOW COTTON.

Extra quality of Plain and Twilled, good finish, even thread; 40 and 42 inches wide. Reg. 25c. yard. **21c**

TAMBOURED TEA CLOTHS.

Elaborate designs on extra fine quality Muslin; size 32 x 32. Values to 80c. each. **39c**

SIDEBOARD CLOTHS.

A nice assortment of American Muslin Sideboard Cloths and a few Centre Cloths, frilled and trimmed with applique designs; assorted styles. **12c**

MADRAS MUSLINS.

4 pieces only pretty American Madras Muslins, Cream all-over designs with colored flowers; 36 inches wide. Reg. 25c. yard. **22c**

PILLOW CASES.

Fine White Cotton Pillow Cases, size 18 x 28; hemstitched and hand-hemmed. Special, 22c. each. **24c**

GLASS CLOTHS.

About 24 dozen White Linen Cloths with Red borders, size 22 x 22; ready hemmed. Special, 22c. each. **10c**

BREAKFAST CLOTHS.

White Damask Linen Cloths, with borders of Red, Blue and Green, size 50 x 50; fringed all round. Reg. 50c. **45c**

WHITE LONGCLOTH.

For Ladies' and Children's wear, perfectly soft finish; 36 inches wide. Reg. 12c. yard. **10c**

MEN! We Save You Money.

SILK TIES.

Newest novelties in Silk Neckwear, Wide End Ties, in a beautiful range of colors and designs. Reg. 40c. each. **34c**

HALF HOSE.

All Wool Cashmere Hose, in shades of Mole, Tan, Green and Grey, fancy stripes. Reg. 50c. pr. **44c**

CUFF LINKS.

Solid Front Rolled Gold, in a nice variety of designs; Cuff Studs and Cuff Links. Reg. 60c. **53c**

GENTS' SHIRTS.

Tunic fronts, fcy self stripes, perfect fitting, roomy bodies, medium stiff cuffs; all sizes. Reg. \$2.25. **1.80**

MEN'S BRACES.

Heavy quality, stout materials. Giant Police; solid leather tips and reliable metal fixings. Reg. 30c. pair. **26c**

MEN'S CAPS.

A splendid line of high grade Tweed Golf Caps, silk lining; assorted light and dark shades. Reg. 80c. each. **65c**

BOYS' PLAY SUITS.

Indian and Cowboy Outfits in good Khaki Cotton, complete with Hat, Belt, &c. Reg. 70c. values. **64c**

BOYS' ETON CAPS.

12 dozen Variety or Eton Caps for Boys in Navy Blue Serge, silk lined; all sizes. Reg. 35c. each. **28c**

PARIS GARTERS.

Best quality, Satin Shield; no metal can touch you. Special, per pair, for Friday & Saturday. **27c**

MEN'S SOFT COLLARS.

A special line of Soft Collars for Men and Boys, made of Cream Casement Cloth; well cut styles; all correct sizes. **7c**

Fancy Muslins

Over 500 yards Hair Cord Muslins, with dainty Rosbud designs in various colors. The season's latest effects. Special, per yard, Friday and Saturday. **10c**

Ladies' Cotton Vests

A very special offer in White Cotton Vests, elastic knit, sleeveless, lace trimmed arm bands. Usually sold at 40c. each. **26c**

Ladies' Belts

A fine collection of smart Belts in Black and Fancy Colored Silk of various shades; also a few Fancy Glazed Leather Belts. Reg. 45c. ea. **38c**

Ladies' Blouses

The best chance of the season to secure a smart Blouse or Shirtdress at a low price. These are American models just arrived. In materials of Muslin, Challis, Cotton Crepe and Linen; all the latest fads and styles are in; all sizes. Values to \$2.00 each. **1.08**

Job Ribbons

All Silk Taffetas & Merves in a host of new colors; assorted shades, 5 and 6 inches wide. Usually sold at 45c. yd. **20c**

Fancy Frillings

Good values in Fancy Frillings, new and up-to-date novelty designs in Lace, Clifton, Tulle, Chenille, &c.; assorted colors, also Black and White. Values for 30c. and 50c. yard. **12c**

Waterproof Baby Pants

Kleiner's Diaper Covered Baby Pants, sizes small, medium and large; nicely finished. Reg. 22c. pair. **16c**

Washing Silks

Smart Washing Silks in Navy and White and Black and White stripes, heavy twilled quality; suitable for Shirtdresses, Shirts, &c.; 33 inches wide. Reg. 75c. yard. **67c**

DRESS FASTENERS

Press Studs, Black and White, assorted sizes. Special, per dozen. **3c**

SPECIAL VALUES ON NOTION COUNTERS.

DRINKING CUPS

Nestled Aluminium Cups, 3 in. nest. Special, per nest. **15c**

HALL STAND BRUSHES

Extra fine bristles, long handle, sanitary and easy to clean. Reg. 65c. ea. for **57c**

HAND MIRRORS

Polished Blk. Wood Frames, bevel edge mirrors. Special, each. **27c**

POWDER PUFFS

In fancy boxes, containing best grade Completion Powder; assorted perfumes. Special, each. **10c**

DOVER TOY SAD IRONS

Detachable Nickel Hoods, polished wood handles. Special, each. **10c**

PHOTO FRAMES

Silverette, assorted designs; guaranteed not to tarnish. Special, each. **12c**

TOOTH BRUSHES

Warranted perfect White, "Compo" handle, best bristles. Special, each. **10c**

CUFF & TIE SETS

3 pieces, 1 Tie Pin and 2 Cuff Links; assorted Gilt setting, colored stones. Reg. 30c. set for. **23c**

SCARF PINS

Assorted fancy designs in Rolled Gold, with colored stones inset. Reg. 22c. each for. **18c**

DRESS PINS

High grade Gilt and Enamel Pins, new designs; 2 on card. Special, per card. **6c**

BAR PINS

A job lot of Pearl, Gilt and Enamel Pins. Special, each. **12c**

HAIR COMBS

Fancy Shell Circle Combs, fit snugly; a real comfort. Special, each. **5c**

PEARL SLUG EARRINGS

Pure White, assorted sizes, patent fasteners; very stylish. Reg. 15c. set. **12c**

TOILET SOAP

Coronation, large cakes; assorted perfumes. Special, 2 cakes. **7c**

HAIR PINS

Black Wire Pins, invisible holdfast; 100 in a box. Special, 2 boxes for. **6c**

DRESS FASTENERS

Press Studs, Black and White, assorted sizes. Special, per dozen. **3c**

FINE Groceries.

Strawberries

In 2 lb. tins. Reg. 20c. tin for. **16c**

Genuine Irish Butter

Reg. 45c. lb. for **42c**

Pure Fruit Syrups

Large bottles assorted flavors. Reg. 20c. bl. for **18c**

Tomatoes

In small tins. Special, per tin. **9c**

Bracknell's Continental Pickles

Reg. 35c. bottle for. **28c**

Columb's Baking Powder

1 lb. tins. Special, per tin. **24c**

Oxo Cubes

Reg. 30c. pk. for. **30c**

Colgate's Talcum Powder

Reg. 25c. tin for. **20c**

Tapestry Hearth Rugs

An entire new assortment of high grade Tapestry Rugs, sizes 27 x 54; Scotch made. Wool and Jute; many handsome designs in light and dark shades. Reg. \$1.50 ea. **1.25**

White Handkerchiefs

White Lawn Handkerchiefs, soft finished, nicely hemstitched; special purchase. Extra values. Special, Friday and Saturday. **6c**

Fancy Handkerchiefs

Dainty Irish Handkerchiefs, nicely finished, trimmed in various designs with Lace and insertion; also a few dozen hemstitched. Special, each. **5c**

Infants' Bodices

Splendid values in Knitted Soft Berlin Wool, self colors, White and Fancy. Reg. 20c. pair. **16c**

Infants' Sacques

New American novelties in little Jackets or Sacques for Infants, Silk and Wool materials; fancy designs, nicely finished. Special, Friday and Saturday. **59c**

Hardware Section

Clothes Brushes. Reg. 22c. each for. **19c**Tooth Brushes. Reg. 20c. each for. **18c**Ice Cream Freezers. Reg. \$3.65 each for. **\$3.25**Slaters, sizes 6 x 9. Reg. 60c. each for. **55c**Felt Collar Safe. Reg. 55c. each for. **48c**Railroad Lanterns. Reg. 95c. each for. **88c**Hand Saws. Reg. \$1.65 each for. **\$1.50**Carpenter's Hammers. Reg. 40c. each for. **35c**Smooth Planes. Reg. \$1.80 each for. **\$1.71**Jack Planes. Reg. \$2.00 each for. **\$1.75**Jointer Planes. Reg. \$4.00 each for. **\$3.47**Fore Planes. Reg. \$2.95 each for. **\$2.80**Washing Machines. Reg. \$14.75 each for. **\$13.60**Scrub Brushes. Reg. 14c. each for. **12c**Stove Brushes. Reg. 15c. each for. **13c**Shoe Brushes. Reg. 25c. each for. **23c**

Ladies' Cashmere Hose

About 20 dozen pairs Black Cashmere Hose of extra good quality; assorted ribs, warranted fast colors; well apliced heels and toes. Reg. 65c. pair. **48 cts**

The Royal Stores Ltd.

Lunch Sachels

Strong Imitation Leather Sachels or Valises, suitable for carrying lunches, small parcels, &c.; round metal handles, good brass catches. Special, each, Friday and Saturday. **27 cts**

Umbrellas

Absolutely new styles in Umbrellas and Parasols, stylish long handles in a variety of pretty designs. Black Gloria Covering, 8 rib steel frames. Special for Friday and Saturday, each. **\$1.15**

Enjoyable Event at Topsail.

Under the auspices of a number of young ladies who are spending their vacation at Topsail, a very enjoyable Garden Party was held on the old club grounds at that popular resort yesterday afternoon, and was followed by a grand concert in the Orange Hall at night, the performers being greeted with a capacity house. During the afternoon, which was much finer at Topsail than in the city, the ladies did a brisk business serving food, tea, ice cream and candies, the affair being fairly well patronized.

At 3.30 p.m. the concert opened at the Orange Hall which had been generously placed at the disposal of the ladies free of charge, and which had been tastefully decorated for the occasion. Hon. J. R. Bennett, Colonial Secretary, presided, and in a very pleasing speech welcomed the large gathering present, after which the following programme was given:

French Horn Solo, "Perfect Day"—Mr. Arthur Bulley.

Recitation, "A Bachelor's Sale"—Miss Mary Doyle.

Solo, "There's a Land"—Miss Elsie Herder.

Recitation, "Percy 1914-1915"—Miss Agnes Hayward.

Solo, "Rule Britannia"—Miss Jean Strang.

(Interval.)

Club Singing—Mr. Heber Angel.

Solo, "Where My Caravan Has Rested"—Miss Mollie Shea.

Solo—Mr. John Strang.

Solo—Miss Jean Herder.

Recitation—Miss Hayward.

Duet—Miss Jean and Mr. John Strang.

The various items were pleasingly rendered, all the performers having to respond to encores. During the interval a sale of candy was held, which considerably augmented the proceeds. At the close a hearty vote of thanks proposed by Rev. Mr. Netten was accorded the ladies by acclamation. The performance closed with the singing of Rule Britannia and the National Anthem by the entire audience. The proceeds of the affair amounted to \$150 which will be devoted to the fund for comforts for our volunteers, instead of machine guns as previously stated. The young ladies who had charge of the affair deserve every congratulation as they have practically shown that though holidaying they are not unmindful of the brave lads that have volunteered in defence of the Empire and their native land.

Lectured at Citadel.

Commissioner W. J. Richards, Leader of the Salvation Army in Canada and Newfoundland, lectured to a large gathering at the Citadel last night. The subject of the discourse was "Africa," and the speaker who has had many years of missionary experience amongst the people of that continent was well qualified to deal with the subject. After being introduced by Brigadier Morehen the Commissioner for over an hour entertained his audience with a description of the life of the Africans, their customs and their religion. While referring to the work of the army, he also paid a well deserved tribute to the work of other missionaries who are laboring for the conversion of the heathen. At the close a hearty vote of thanks, proposed by Staff-Captain Cave and seconded by Adjutant Ogilvie, was accorded the lecturer by acclamation. The bands of Nos. 1 and 2 corps were present and rendered appropriate selections during the evening.

Gower St. S. S. Picnic.

The annual picnic of the Gower St. Sunday School was held at Mount Pearl yesterday. A special train with upwards of 600 children, in charge of their teachers, left the station at 10.30 a.m. Arriving at the grounds the children were served with refreshments, after which games were indulged in until dinner time. With appetites sharpened by exercise and pure fresh air, the children did ample justice to the good things provided. During the afternoon races, riffs and games were the order and the teachers were untiring in their efforts to make the children happy. After a thoroughly enjoyable day, the party which including parents, teachers and children numbered over 1,100 persons, returned to the city by special train at 8 p.m.

The Royal Punch and Judy Show.

Rossley's East End Theatre re-opens on Monday with The Russells, Jack and Olive, and Don, the educated and marvelous performing dog. Don has been petted by Royalty and worked before many royal persons; he can do all but talk, and the children go wild over him at the matinees. The Russells are known on the other side as the Australian Merry Makers; they are English character sketch artists with lots of fine original acts. Olive Russell, a lady baritone singer, that has appeared nearly all over the world. Their work is clearly all comedy, rich and rare. Their opening act, "Robbing a Bargain," made a great hit at the Palace, London. For the children they have a Punch and Judy Show. The Russells had the honour of several command performances before the children of royalty while in London.

Mapleton's Peanut Butter is made in England. When you buy it you will know its value. When the children get it on their bread they know its quality. Cheap nourishment these strenuous times. The proof of the pudding is the eating of it. **1/8c.**

HIGHLANDERS' PARADE

Newfoundland Highlanders, a church parade attending Divine Service.