

Splendid Bargains Await You at Our January Sale

Ladies' Trimmed Millinery, Reg. Val. \$10, January Sale, \$2.50

Included in our January Sale, which starts tomorrow morning, is a splendid assortment of Millinery. Most notable is the offering which we are making in Ladies' Trimmed Millinery. These sell regularly at \$10, but, to clear them out, they are marked at \$2.50. The styles are most authoritative, in felts and corded effects, beautifully trimmed with wings, feathers and ribbons—a special bargain, indeed.

Clearout Prices on Ladies' Costumes

Regular Prices \$14.50 to \$75.00 for \$7.50, \$13.75 and \$19.50

There remains only one month to clear out our entire stock of Ladies' Costumes and Jackets, and we have reduced the price to such an extent as to make doubly sure of a clean sweep.

Regular values \$14.50 to \$75.00. January Sale \$19.50, \$13.75 and \$7.50

Every costume is the season's very latest effect, beautifully tailored and finished in the season's most pronounced materials.

Ladies' Jackets Greatly Reduced

Regular values \$10.00, for \$5.00

Regular \$12.50 to \$17.50, for \$7.50

Regular \$18.75 to \$25.00, for \$12.50

Regular \$27.50 to \$35.00, for \$17.50

Regular \$40.00 to \$75.00, for \$22.50

This is one of the best bargains offered. We are placing on sale every jacket and at a price which means sure clearance, nearly every style, and material is represented in this superb gathering and we venture to say that these bargains will keep everybody busy. 2nd Floor.

Attractive Prices, Ladies' Raincoats

We are making a very unusual reduction in Women's Raincoats and it will pay every lady wishing one to be here early. There will be plenty opportunity for a good Raincoat to become useful, and at these prices every woman can have one. They include Heptonettes, Rubberized Silk, and Rainproof Cloths.

Regular \$7.50. January Sale \$4.50

Regular \$8.50 to \$10.00. January Sale \$5.75

Regular \$12.50 to \$15.00. January Sale \$7.50

Regular \$17.50 to \$20.00. January Sale \$9.75

Regular \$22.50 to \$25.00. January Sale \$12.50

Regular \$30.00 to \$37.50. January Sale \$16.75

A Clearance Sale of Children's Coats

Reg. \$4.50 and \$6.00, for \$2.50

Reg. \$7.50 to \$10.00, for \$4.75

Reg. \$5.50 to \$6.50, for \$3.50

Reg. \$12.50 to \$17.50, for \$6.75

Every mother should take advantage of such splendid bargains as the above prices denote. They include the very latest models in serges, diagonals, in plain and stripe effects, smartly tailored in styles that will captivate everybody.

Women's Black Silk Dress Skirts, Reg. \$10 to \$25, January Sale, \$7.50

Just think for a moment what this means to your pocket book. They are made of fine quality black silk, exceptionally well made. The regular values run from \$10.00 up to \$25.00. Yet to clear them all out we have marked them down to one \$7.50

January Sale Prices on Blankets and Bedding

WHITE WOOL BLANKETS, 56 in. x 76 in., neat blue and pink border. January Sale price, pair \$2.75

WHITE WOOL BLANKETS, 56 in. x 76 in., blue or pink border, very soft, pure wool. Slightly soiled. January Sale price, pair \$3.50

WHITE WOOL BLANKETS, 64 in. x 84 in., Extra fine quality of pure wool. In this lot there are three from, slightly soiled. January Sale \$5.00

WOOL BLANKETS, 64 in. x 84 in. Very heavy fleecy wool, plain with pink or blue border. Four different lots to select from. Jan. Sale Price, pair \$5.95

WOOL BLANKETS, 64 in. x 84 in. and 68 in. x 90 in. Heavy soft wool, checked or plain, with blue or pink border. Four different styles in this lot, slightly soiled. Jan. Sale price, pair \$7.50

WHITE WOOL BLANKETS, size 65 in. x 85 in. English make, very soft and fleecy, bound with blue silk. Jan. Sale Price, pair \$7.75

DOWN QUILTS, fancy floral designs, pannelled, in contrasting colors, piped edges, size 60 in. x 72 in. Regular \$3.50. Jan. Sale Price \$2.90

DOWN QUILTS, art sateen covering, pannelled piped edges, well made in every respect. Size 60 in. x 72 in. Regular \$6.50. Jan. Sale Price \$4.50

DOWN QUILTS, art sateen covering, very attractive patterns, size 66 in. x 72 in., very well filled. January Sale Price \$6.75

DOWN QUILTS, art sateen covering, frilled and pannelled in plain sateen, pink, red and green, size 66 x 72. Jan. Sale Price \$7.50

JACQUARD RUGS, a very heavy flanellette rug in fancy designs. Blue, pink and grey. Size 62 in. x 80 in. Very useful as a couch or bed cover. Regular price \$3.50. Jan. Sale Price \$2.50

FLANELLETTE BLANKETS, best quality, in white or grey, blue or pink border. Small size. Jan. Sale Price, pair \$1.00

Medium size. Jan. Sale Price, pair \$1.25

Largest size. Jan. Sale Price, pair \$1.50

HONEYCOMB QUILTS, single bed size, hemmed ready for use. Jan. Sale Price, each \$1.00

HONEYCOMB QUILTS, medium size, hemmed ready for use. Jan. Sale Price, each \$1.25

FRINGED HONEYCOMB QUILTS, for single or medium sized bed, heavy quality. Jan. Sale Prices, \$1.75, \$2.50 and \$3.50

HONEYCOMB QUILTS, large size, hemmed ready for use. Jan. Sale Price \$1.35

FRINGED HONEYCOMB QUILTS, large size, good English make. Jan. Sale Prices, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$5.00 and \$5.50

FRINGED HONEYCOMB QUILTS, extra large size, very heavy, good wearing quilt. Jan. Sale Prices, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$3.75 and \$4.00

MARCELLA QUILTS, heavy quality, size for single or medium bed. Jan. Sale Price, each \$1.35, \$1.75, and \$1.90

MARCELLA QUILTS, fine heavy quality, size for single or medium sized bed. Jan. Sale Price, each \$2.05 and \$3.45

MARCELLA QUILTS, large size, heavy quality. Jan. Sale Prices, \$1.90, \$2.05, \$3.25 and \$4.20

MARCELLA QUILTS, large size, very fine quality, assorted designs. Jan. Sale Prices, \$4.40, \$5.90, \$6.10, and \$6.90

MARCELLA QUILTS, extra large size, heavy quality assorted patterns. Jan. Sale Prices, each \$3.20, \$4.20, \$5.35 and \$5.85

COTTON SHEETS, hemmed ready for use, size 63 in. x 90 in. Jan. Sale Price, pair \$1.50

COTTON SHEETS, hemmed ready for use, size 72 in. x 90 in. Jan. Sale Price, pair \$1.60

COTTON SHEETS, hemstitched ready for use, size 72 in. x 90 in. Jan. Sale Price, pair \$1.75

COTTON SHEETS, hemstitched ready for use, "fine heavy grade of cotton, size 72 in. x 90 in." Jan. Sale Price, pair \$2.00

COTTON SHEETS, hemstitched, extra large size, very heavy cotton. Jan. Sale Price, pair \$2.50

COTTON PILLOW SLIPS, sizes 40 in. x 36 in. and 42 in. x 36 in., made of heavy fine cotton. Jan. Sale Price, each \$1.50

2000 YARDS ENGLISH FLANELLETTE, 32 in. wide, large assortment of stripes. Jan. Sale Price, per yard \$1.00

600 YARDS HEAVY KIMONA FLANELLETTE, 39 in. wide, floral and conventional designs, in all the best shades. Regular 25c yard. Jan. Sale Price, per yard \$1.50

750 YARDS ENGLISH FLANELLETTE, twilled, very heavy quality. Regular 20c quality. Jan. Sale Price, per yard \$1.50

ENGLISH TWILLED SHEETING, 72 in. wide, very heavy quality. Regular 35c quality. Jan. Sale Price per yard \$2.50

Linens at January Sale Prices

BREAKFAST CLOTHS of unbleached Damask hemmed ready for use, assorted patterns, size 48 x 60. Jan. Sale Price, each \$50c

Size 60 in. x 60 in. Jan. Sale Price, each \$65c

Size 60 in. x 66 in. Jan. Sale Price, each \$75c

BREAKFAST CLOTHS, half bleached, hemstitched, with colored borders, red, blue, and green, 50 in. x 50 in. Jan. Sale Price \$1.00

TABLE DAMASK, fully bleached, 60 in. x 70 in. wide. Jan. Sale Price, per yard \$50c

TABLE DAMASK, fully bleached, 66 in. x 70 in. wide. Jan. Sale Price, per yard \$75c

TABLE DAMASK, fully bleached, 54 in. to 72 in. wide, heavy quality, satin finish. Jan. Sale Price, per yard \$1.00

TABLE DAMASK, unbleached, 50 in. wide. Jan. Sale Price, per yard \$25c

LINENS

FRINGED TABLE CLOTHS, 54 in. x 54 in., white, blue, pink. Jan. Sale Price \$50c

EMBROIDERED TEA CLOTHS, 30 in. x 30 in., slightly imperfect. Jan. Sale Price, each \$25c

EMBROIDERED RUNNERS OR BUREAU COVERS, 18 in. x 54 in., slightly imperfect. Jan. Sale Price, each \$25c

TABLE NAPKINS, unbleached, 18 in. x 18 in., Dice pattern. Jan. Sale Price, per dozen \$75c

TABLE NAPKINS, unbleached, 22 in. x 22 in., Dice pattern. Jan. Sale Price, per dozen \$1.00

TABLE NAPKINS, fully bleached, 18 in. x 18 in., assorted patterns. Jan. Sale Price, per dozen \$1.50

TABLE NAPKINS, fully bleached, hemmed or unhemmed, 18 in. x 18 in., per dozen \$2.00

TABLE NAPKINS, fully bleached, hemmed or unhemmed, large size, splendid assortment of patterns. Jan. Sale Price, per dozen \$3.00

TABLE DAMASK, unbleached, 56 in. wide, plain or with red border. Jan. Sale Price \$35c

TABLE DAMASK, unbleached, 60 in. to 70 in. wide, good assortment of patterns. Jan. Sale Price \$45c



Men's Pants Priced Low

Men's Pants made of fancy worsteds and tweeds, are all reduced for quick clearance.

MEN'S PANTS, regular \$4.75 to \$5.75, for \$3.75

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MEN'S PANTS, regular \$2.75 to \$3.00, for \$2.25

MEN'S PANTS, regular \$2.50, for \$1.75

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Dress Goods Marked at Half Price and Less

18 PIECES TWEEDS in fancy light greys, checks. Regular 50c. Sale Price \$25c

10 PIECES SATIN CLOTH, colors navy, brown, grey, moss and myrtle. Regular 50c. Sale Price \$25c

11 PIECES HERRINGBONE SERGE, grey, brown, navy, moss and myrtle. Regular 50c. Sale Price \$25c

6 PIECES STRIPE TWEED, light patterns. Regular 50c. Sale Price \$25c

5 PIECES MOIRE SKIRTING, brown, moss, navy, black, helio, and cardinal. Regular 50c. Sale Price \$25c

4 PIECES TWEED, dark grounds. Regular 65c. Sale Price \$25c

30 PIECES COLORED OTTOMAN, in grey, bisque, helio, brown, black, navy. Regular 85c. Sale Price \$50c

6 PIECES ORIENTAL SATIN CLOTH, browns, fawns, gold. Regular \$1.50. Sale Price \$50c

10 PIECES STRIPE SCINTILLA CLOTH, fancy shadow stripe, colors brown, helio, navy, reseda. Regular \$1.00. Sale Price \$50c

40 PIECES SATIN CLOTH, shadow stripe effects, navy, brown, reseda, moss, myrtle, helio, alicie, grey and brique. Regular 75c. Sale Price \$50c

DIAGONAL SERGE, heavy weave, in navy, royal, and brown. Regular \$1.00 and \$1.25. Sale Price \$50c

A Spencer January Sale of Shoes

Up-to-the-minute styles—satisfaction certain—All sizes and priced at the start at figures that will admit of no doubt as to their sure and rapid sale. There are sales and sales, but a Spencer Shoe Sale is the one sale the people know they can rely on for genuine and substantial reductions. Read the following descriptions. Note the makes. You know them and the regular prices. Then come as you always do.

Women's Shoes—Regular Values up to \$6.00 for \$3.45

GLAZED KID LACE BOOT, dull kid tops, plain toe, Goodyear welts, E. C. Burt. Regular Price \$6.00. Sale Price \$3.45

GUN METAL CALF LEATHER BLUCHER, smart last, Goodyear welts, E. C. Burt. Regular Price \$5.50. Sale Price \$3.45

GLAZED KID BLUCHER, patent tip, narrow toe, high heel, E. C. Burt. Regular price \$5.50. Sale Price \$3.45

PATENT COLT LACE BOOT, dull kid top, high wave top, Goodyear welts, "Queen Quality." Regular Price \$5.50. Sale Price \$3.45

PATENT COLT BUTTON BOOT, Goodyear welts, "Queen Quality." Regular price, \$5.50. Sale Price \$3.45



All made by Edwin C. Burt, New York, and "Queen Quality" Boston. Regular values up to \$6.00.

PATENT COLT LACE BOOT, dull kid top, plain toe, high peg heel, Edwin C. Burt. Regular price \$6.00. Sale Price \$3.45

PATENT COLT BUTTON BOOT, tip, Goodyear welts, high heel, Edwin C. Burt. Regular price \$6.00. Sale Price \$3.45

PATENT COLT BLUCHER BOOTS, dull kid tops, Goodyear welts, "Queen Quality." Regular price \$5.50. Sale Price \$3.45

PATENT COLT LACE BOOT, tip, welted, high Cuban heel, "Queen Quality." Regular Price \$5.50. Sale Price \$3.45

PATENT COLT LACE BOOT, tip, welted, high Cuban heel, "Queen Quality." Regular \$5.50. Sale Price \$3.45

GLAZED KID LACE BOOT, patent tip, Goodyear welt, fitted with improved arch support, "Queen Quality." Regular price \$5.50. Sale Price \$3.45

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FORTY MEN DIE IN STORM

Blizzard Overtakes Nova Scotia Fishermen While Out at Sea

WEATHER CHANGES WITHOUT WARNING

Eight Boats With Crews Numbering Forty Are Now Missing

HALIFAX, Jan. 5.—A sudden blizzard that swept down from the north yesterday morning carried out to sea twenty fishing boats belonging to Cape Breton, Whitehead and Dover, and tonight after thirty hours' search, eight boats with between forty and fifty men are missing. Hope that any of these men are now alive has been almost wholly abandoned.

During all this time the thermometer has been hovering around zero, and last night the poor fellows out in open boats on the ice sea had to endure the rigors of a temperature from eight to eight degrees below zero. The blizzard was fearful in its severity and fierceness. Rough and hardy fishermen who had to face long surfs and death would soon become welcome.

A fleet of government and other steamships have been searching all day and tonight when darkness settled down eight boats were not accounted for.

The stricken villages are in despair. Wives and children hardly dare hope to see again to see husbands and fathers.

The weather today has almost been terrible to men exposed to it as was night before. Driven before a heavy northwesterly wind, thick snow made rescue work more difficult and the storm's victims, if they still live, are now being sought for.

Yesterday morning the weather was fair and a fleet of twenty-five boats, manned by one hundred men put for Haddock. Suddenly it changed, and so swiftly that it was next to impossible for all to get back in the teeth of the gale. Of the twenty-five boats only eight were able to beat their way back or find refuge in other ports or hold out till picked up today. But eight of them are gone, and more than forty men are almost certainly either frozen to death in drifting boats, or drowned from the craft capsized or foundered. Not only on the coast but along the coast the unavailing search has been continued, and anxious watchers in the stricken homes are driven to conclude that the breadwinners have gone down with the boats or perished from exposure.

No disaster since the great August gale of 1873 has anywhere approached this appalling catastrophe in the story of fishing in the Canoe district.

The search for the missing men began last night, and has been kept up continuously ever since. The Dominion government was asked for help, and promptly ordered out the steamer Cabot, which was lying in Isaac's Harbour. The Douglas H. Thomas was sent from Sydney and the steam trawler, Number 33 joined in the search. The government steamer Aberdeen was ordered to the fishing grounds and the Woburn, which sailed from North Sidney this evening, was directed to keep a sharp lookout. All their efforts so far have been unavailing except that the steam trawler found one boat badly leeward and took it in tow. Last night the trawler rescued Capt. Belmont's boat.

While he is mourning the loss of nineteen men, the death roll of Dover stands at twenty-two.

SHRUBB QUIT IN HIS SIXTH MILE

TORONTO, Jan. 5.—A little over five miles was as far as Alf Shrubbs could go in his race against Meadows at the Excelsior Rink tonight. The Gaelic boy finished his ten miles in 53.31, a very fast time. If the track measurements were correct, Meadows had in the first mile and Shrubbs in the second and third. Meadows took command of the victors' lineup. Mardell Walsh again in the fourth and Shrubbs in the fifth. Meadows was leading by about one lap when Shrubbs quit.

Fire in Revelstoke Hotel.

REVELSTOKE, Jan. 5.—A threatening fire originated here last evening, in the dining department of the Union Hotel, proprietor J. Laughton. Prompt action of No. 2 fire brigade prevented the spread of the flames. The loss is about \$300.

Stanley Cup Match

OTTAWA, Jan. 5.—The champion Ottawa team overwhelmed the Galt challengers for the Stanley cup in the opening game of the cup series here tonight by a score of 12 to 3 before a crowd of about twenty-five hundred people. The match was interesting for the first fifteen minutes, but the Ottawa players showed a marked superiority at point for the Galt team were their feet. Leberman in goal saved the team's only one goal. Mardell Walsh, year's E. C. A., made a good start for a second time, making seven goals and the penalties meted out to either side were light.

JOHANNESBURG, Jan. 5.—South Africa won the cricket match played today by 19 runs. England was all out with 224 runs.