

A Noteworthy Collection of Timely Economies in Spring Goods

MILLINERY HATS

A lot of newly arrived semi-millinery Hats, enchanting new styles, novel effects with ribbon and rose clusters on rim. Reg. \$3.25 each. Sale price . . . **\$2.80**

Untrimmed Hats.

Plain, Plaited and Tagal straw, in a brilliant assortment of styles and colors. Special ea. **\$1.65**

Ready to Wear Hats.

Smart shapes with ribbon bands, all new colorings. \$3.00 to \$8.00 values. Selling for . . . **\$2.85**

Underskirts

In Satene.
Black with colored stripes of various shades, such as Rose, Grey, Hello and Light Blue, draw string at waist, neat accordion pleated frill. Reg. \$1.75 each for . . . **\$1.52**

In White Cambric.

All medium sizes, draw string at waist, trimmed with embroidery insertion, large embroidery flourishes. Reg. \$1.75 each for . . . **\$1.50**

GLOVES

A great variety assembled for easy choosing. The kind you like to wear with the New Spring Costume.

Women's Kid Gloves.

In shades of Brown, Navy, Tan, Fawn, Black and White, perfect fitting, Bolton cut thumb, 2 dome fasteners or Pearl buttons, all sizes. Reg. \$2.50 pair for . . . **\$2.20**
Another line of Brown, Fawn and Black. This glove is light in weight, and is ideal for spring wear, 2 dome fasteners, all sizes. Reg. \$1.85 pair for . . . **\$1.67**

Clearing Line of Black Kid Gloves.

Sizes 5½ to 6½ only, Dents own make, extra special values. Clearing price per pair . . . **69c.**

Buckled Shoes for Women

3 buckled shoes in Black and Brown calf, sizes 3 to 6, Cuban heels **\$4.98**
SUEDE STRAP SHOES—In Grey only, sizes 3 to 6, Cuban heels and medium toe. Reg. \$5.50 pr. for . . . **\$4.95**
VICI KID BOOTS—In Black and Brown, sizes 3 to 7, Cuban rubber heels, ceding toes. Reg. \$4.60 pair for . . . **\$4.15**



The Newest in Football Boots

MEN'S

"Captain" Boots

25 pairs all leather football boots, with padded ankle guard, shayed soles with bars, all sizes. Special per pair . . . **\$6.10**

BOYS'

"Deadsure" Boots

Extra strong make, all leather soles and uppers, ankle guard and leather bars, sizes 2 to 5. Special per pair . . . **\$4.50**

SMALLWARES

MENDING WOOL—In slips, all colors. Special. 7c.
MENDING WOOL—In balls, all colors. Special. 13c.
MENDING WOOL—On cards, all colors. Special per card . . . 3c.
RUBBER BALLS—Unburntable. Special each . . . 22c.
COMBINATION TOOL SETS—Containing 10 articles. Special each . . . 32c.
ERASMIC SHAVING STICKS—Special each . . . 42c.
ERASMIC BABY POWDER—Special per tin . . . 35c.
ERASMIC TOOTH SOAP—Special per tin . . . 35c.

Available for Friday and Saturday only

The Royal Stores is prepared to meet the apparel and household needs for the coming season with magnificent stocks in every department. For Friday and Saturday, we offer, a carefully selected list of good values in New Spring Goods. Choose from this page, the things that you need and note that in every instance, you get extraordinary value.



STYLISH NEW ATTIRE

for Women of all Ages

Tricolette Smocks.

More beautiful than ever, captivating styles, in colors of Saxe, Sky, Champagne, Flesh, Rose and Lemon round neck and half sleeves. Reg. \$4.85 each for . . . **\$4.55**

Shantung Smocks.

Trimmed with tucks and lace. Regular \$5.00 each for . . . **\$4.55**

Women's Corsets.

Medium bust, long hip, size 20 to 30 in., 4 elastic supporters. Regular \$1.80 pair for . . . **\$1.43**

Women's Summer Pants

White Jersey knit, knee length, lace at knee, both styles, size 36 to 38 in. Reg. \$5.9c. 65c. pair for . . . **59c.**

Springtime Frocks.

That are delightful different, made out of beautiful stripe voiles, in shades of Saxe, Grey and Fawn, short sleeves, long waist effect, Girdle, etc. Reg. \$8.50 each for . . . **\$7.20**

Leather Purses.

In Brown and Grey Crocodile, finished leather with purse attached. Regular \$1.20 each for . . . **\$1.00**

Lacquered Ribbons.

2½ and 3 in. wide, colors of Jade, Navy, Saxe, Henna, Rose, Cerise, Fawn, Pink and Black. 2½ in. Reg. 35c. yard for . . . 29c.
3 in. Reg. 55c. yard for . . . 47c.

New Laces.

Radium and Net laces for millinery uses, all popular shades, 6 and 8 inches wide. Reg. 55c. yard for . . . **48c.**



Honeycomb QUILTS

Every quilt is perfect, every quilt is perfectly new. They are made of high grade White cotton and have fringed ends.

Size 68 x 80 in. Price . . . **\$2.25**
Size 70 x 84 in. Price . . . **\$2.45**
Size 72 x 90 in. Price . . . **\$2.75**
Size 84 x 96 in. Price . . . **\$3.60**

New Curtains.

White Nottingham lace, 2½ yards wide. Reg. \$3.24 each for . . . **\$3.65**
Cream Battenburg, lace trimmed, 2½ yards long. Regular \$8.50 pair for . . . **\$7.55**

Turkish Towels

Fawn and colored stripes, size 20 x 40 inches, fringed ends. Reg. 45c. each for . . . **40c.**

Honey Comb Towels.

White with Red cross bars, fringed ends, small sizes. Reg. 20c. each for . . . **17c.**

Cushion Tops.

Brown with embroidered designs. Reg. \$1.25 each for . . . **\$1.00**

New Dress Fabrics

Sponge Cloth.

40 inches wide. This popular material is available in the following colors, Jade, Saxe, Maize, Fawn, Grey and Mauve. Special per yard . . . **80c.**

Cotton Crepes.

33 inches, assorted shades with rosebud designs, a serviceable quality that does not need ironing. Reg. 45c. yard. Sale price . . . **39c.**

Natural Shantung.

33 inches wide, free from dressing, even thread. Regular \$1.25 yard for . . . **\$1.08**
Regular \$2.00 yard for . . . **\$1.45**

Fl or Coveri gs Hearth Rugs

Armstrong Hearth Rugs, size 27 x 54, assorted beautiful designs and colorings. **\$5.75**

Tapestry Rugs.

Size 25 x 60, handsome patterns. Regular \$3.25 each for . . . **\$2.95**

Inlaid Linoleum.

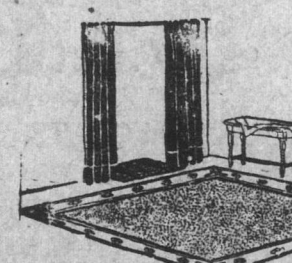
2 yards wide, beautiful tide and floral patterns, in various colors. Regular \$4.50 yard for . . . **\$3.90**

Floor Canvas.

2 yards wide, assorted colorings and good practical patterns. Reg. \$1.55 yard for . . . **\$1.42**

A Clearing Line of Door Mats.

Good Coconut fibre door mats. In assorted sizes, at clearance price. Size 12 x 24. Price . . . 75c.
Size 16 x 28. Price . . . \$1.00
Size 18 x 30. Price . . . \$1.25



White Marquette.

Striped and bordered designs, 32 inches wide. Prices from 20c. yard to . . . **50c.**

Pillow Cases.

Made of Plain White Cotton. Sizes 18 x 28, hemstitched borders. Reg. 60c. each for . . . **52c.**

Wool Sweater Coats.

Smart Tuxedo collar and belt, colors of Fawn, saxe, Rose, Nigger and Black, finished with contrasting touches of color. Reg. \$12.50 each for . . . **\$11.00**

STATIONERY

THE ROYAL SCRIBBLER—100 pages, plain white paper. Special each . . . 4c.
THE CROWN EXERCISE BOOK—Special each . . . 6c.
DRAWING BOOKS—Large, excellent paper. Special each . . . 10c.
CHRISTIAN BROTHERS CATECHISM—Special each . . . 7c.
SCHOOL EXPOSITOR—Part 1. Special each . . . 8c.
BOOK—With the New Game, over the top and Dixie. Special each . . . \$1.05
PEN AND PENCIL ASSORTMENT—6 different articles in case. Special per case . . . 22c.

In the Man's Store Seasonable Bargains

Superior Suits for Men.

Smartly cut worsted suits, in shades of Brown, Grey, Green and Heather mixtures, long roll collar on coat, sizes 36 to 42. Special Per Suit . . . **\$20.00**

Smart Spring Neckwear.

Flowing End Ties, in assorted colors and patterns. Reg. 55c. each for . . . 48c.
Reg. 70c. each for . . . 60c.
Self colored Ties, in shades of Navy, Brown and Cardinal. Regular \$1.10 each for . . . **98c.**

"New Coupe" nonstretchable Ties.

In all the newest shades. Regular \$1.45 each for . . . **\$1.23**

New Knit Ties, in new designs and colors. Reg. 45c. each for . . . 39c.
Reg. \$1.10 each for . . . 96c.

Men's Shirts English make

New arrivals in High Grade Shirts, Harvard stripes in woven designs, light grounds, double cuffs, soft fronts. Reg. \$2.95 each for . . . **\$2.95**

Men's Cambric Shirts.

Light grounds with colored stripes, soft fronts, double cuffs, sizes 14 to 16½. Reg. \$1.75 each for . . . **\$1.49**

Men's Soft Collars.

All the newest shades. Special each . . . **30c.**



A Rhyme for the Times.

Oh, Hearn and McGuire
Are playing with fire
If they think they can win old Ferry-
land.
For the people have a fashion
Of electing Moore and Cashin
And on May the 3rd by them will
firmly stand.

Piccott, Simmonds and Calpin
Are in for a terrible scalp,
Their S.O.S. cries
Are rending the skies
Poor Piccott, Simmonds and Calpin.

Halfyard, Hibbs and Randall,
Oh, My! what a terrible scandal
To ask Trinity Bay
To elect, in May,
Halfyard, Hibbs and Randall.

Oh, the signs of the times
Point with sorrow to Grimes
For Fogo won't listen to him.
Their everyday song
Is "Oh, give us Joe Long,"
And on Sunday they make it a hymn.

The chances for Cheeseman and Foots
Are blacker than blackest of soot,
And Harris and Chafe
Are feeling quite safe
In making their political debt.

Oh, little Willie Warren
Will soon sound very foreign
To the voters of Fortune Bay.
The Commission's a ripe peach
Which they'll dangle beyond Billie's
reach
When they go to the polls in May.

Newfoundland Sailor Drowned at Sea.

CREW POSTED AS MISSING.

The sad intelligence was received in the city yesterday that all hope is now given up for the crew of the schooner Howard, which left an American port in December last for the Mediterranean, and that one of the crew named William Snow, of this city, is given up as lost. The vessel, no doubt, met with the full force of the gales as reported on the Atlantic in December last, and becoming unmanageable, soon sank, and the crew failing to get assistance, met a watery grave. Mr. Wm. Snow was a young man of 25 years, popular and well-known in this city, and the news of his death by drowning will come as a distinct shock to his many friends and relatives. The deceased was one of the first to join the Royal Naval Reserve, and during the whole war period he did active service. After the war he returned home and attended Mr. F. J. Doyle's Nautical School. He later proceeded to the States, where he sat for a Mate's certificate, and passed a successful examination. Mr. Snow leaves to mourn a heart broken mother, two sisters, Mrs. Wm. Purchase, Theatre Hill, Dora, at home, and one brother, Ronald, in Montreal, to whom the sympathy of the whole community goes out in their time of sorrow.

Speed the Time!

Still the cry goes forth: Vote for the Humber. The question has often puzzled the writer as to how Squires reconciles his attitude on the Humber with his professed attitude towards industries as expressed not a twelve months ago. Last spring when a deputation visited Hon. R. A. Squires on guaranteeing the Terra Nova Sulphite Co., he is reported to have said that it was Bell Island and Grand Falls, and such like centres of industry that had brought Newfoundland to her then state of financial depression. What a change the intervening period has brought about. We can be pretty safe in asserting that conscience is a nonentity with the Honourable Gentleman. Coaker, too, was formerly very much opposed to the Reid way of doing business. He and Squires were going to put them in their places. To-day, Coaker is willing to buy the railway from them, and sell the Labrador to get the cash to pay for same. That is precisely what it amounts to. Verily it is disgusting to note the attitude of the Government, as it sees the star of victory hovering over the Opposition. Every evening the public despatch contains many glaring misrepresentation of facts, vide the sealer's meeting, or some trivial event in connection with the Government, political propaganda instead of public news. Is it to be wondered at that Monroe announces that the North Side of Bonavista Bay spells victory for the policy of Bennett. But a week more and the ballots will be cast. Verily the tale that they will unfold will be one of many surprises, and the vote from Bonavista Bay will not be one of the least. Squires' restless ambition will not be satisfied by a false Humber cry. Coaker's fishery policy will not again strangle the shipping interests of the fishermen. Both gentlemen have been tried and found wanting, and to-day they are desperate in their endeavours to stem the flaming tide. Alas! Alas! They cannot enter now.
BONAVISTA BAY.

ECZEMA

You are now experiencing the effects of the skin disease known as Eczema. It is a very common skin disease, and is caused by a variety of factors, including poor circulation, poor nutrition, and poor hygiene. It is a very painful and itchy condition, and it can be very difficult to treat. However, there is a simple and effective way to treat Eczema, and that is by using the Eczema Ointment. This ointment is made from natural ingredients, and it is very gentle on the skin. It will help to soothe the itching and to clear up the skin. It is a very effective treatment, and it is very easy to use. You can find it at any drug store, or you can order it by mail. It is a very good investment, and it will help you to get rid of your Eczema for good.

MINARD'S LINIMENT FOR RHEUMATISM.