

Summer Beauties



is the best term we can use in describing our range of Women's Fine Low Shoes and Pumps. By arrangement in the United States, April 15 is the time set apart for the beginning of the wearing of low cuts. In St. John a week or ten days later is early enough.

BUT NOW is the time to make your selection while the sizes and styles are unbroken. We are showing a delightful range of pretty Shoes and Colonial, in all the popular shapes, styles and designs, at prices from \$2.00 to \$5.50.

Waterbury & Rising, Ltd. King St. Main St. Union St.

COAL!

A large and carefully selected stock of highest grade Hard and Soft Coals always on hand—Ask for prices. CONSUMERS COAL CO., Limited, 331 Charlotte Street

Augustine Birrell is, like so many other notable politicians, a lawyer, observes Pearson's. In his early days at the bar Mr. Birrell often had to deal with poor clients. On one occasion he defended a very poor man, and kindly offered to do so for nothing. Mr. Birrell won the case and the client was so grateful that he sent the lawyer fifteen shillings. Mr. Birrell accepted this small sum so as not to hurt the man's feelings; but later on he was reproached by fellow lawyers for doing so. "Why," said the latter gentlemen, "did you take fifteen shillings? Don't you know that it is unprofessional conduct for us lawyers to take less than gold?" "Well," answered Mr. Birrell with a twinkle in his eye, "I took all the poor beggar had. You don't consider that is unprofessional in a lawyer, do you?"

QUICK HELP FOR STRAINS AND SPRAINS WONDROFUL RELIEF IN ONE HOUR

Rare Herb and Root Extracts in This Liniment Give it Marvelous Power.

RUB ON NERVILINE

You'll be astonished at the rapid pain-relieving action of "Nerviline." Its effectiveness is due to its remarkable penetrating power—it strikes deeply, sinks to the very core of the trouble. Nerviline is stronger, many times stronger, than ordinary liniments, and it's not greasy, ill-smelling or disagreeable. Every drop rubs in, bringing comfort and healing wherever applied. You would scarcely believe how it will relieve a sprain, how it takes out lameness, how it soothes and eases a bruise. Thousands say "Nerviline is half as useful in the home. This must be so, because Nerviline is a safe remedy—you can rub it on even a child with fine results. Just you keep Nerviline on hand—it's a panacea for the aches, pains and slight ill of the whole family. One bottle will keep the doctor's bill small, and can be depended on to cure rheumatism, neuralgia, lumbago, sciatica, toothache, pleurisy, strains or swelling. Wherever there is a pain rub on Nerviline, it will always cure. The large 60c family size bottle is the most economical trial size 25c. Sold everywhere by dealers, or direct from the Cataractos Co., Kingston, Canada.

No Advance in The Price of Our Diamonds!

Which are selected with the utmost discrimination, and are sold at prices which represent supreme value. Our well-known Guarantee accompanies every Diamond or piece of Diamond Jewelry, from the smallest to the most costly.

Ferguson & Page Diamond Importers and Jewelers 41 King St.

"PLAY BALL"

For BASEBALL clubs and individual players, our Sporting Department possesses an equally strong appeal in a big line of Spalding's Famous Baseball goods, the large variety of which will make easy the selection of supplies for the season's opening games.

PROMINENT IN OUR DISPLAY ARE:

- Baseballs—Official League, \$1.25
National Association Jr., .75
Professional, .50
Leagues Jr., .35
Catchers' Mitts, 25c to \$3.25
First Base Mitts, \$1.10 to \$3.25
Fielders' Gloves, 25c to \$3.25
Masks, \$1.00 to \$3.50
Baseball Bats, 15c to \$1.25
Body Protectors, \$3.50 to \$12.60
Toe and Heel Pads, 25c and 50c
Baseball Boots, \$3.50, \$4.50 and \$6.00
Glove Softener, 15c a tube

W. H. THORNE & CO., LTD. Market Square and King Street

"WHERE DID HE GET THE CASH?"

Mr. Stewart's Inquiry Re Provincial Finances

WANTS INDEPENDENT AUDIT

"Government Deals With Funds and Credit Without Regard to Law or Prudence"

The Chatham World, of which J. L. Stewart, M. P. E., is proprietor, says editorially:

"FRENZIED FINANCE AT FREDERICTON AN INDEPENDENT AUDIT NEEDED."

"Hon. Dr. Landry, on his bill to legalize the paying of 4 per cent interest on bonds that had been authorized to be issued at 4 1/2 per cent, said, in reply to Mr. Stewart, that the amount of such unauthorized bonds was about \$200,000, thereby practically stating that he had sold all of such bonds, at the legal rate of interest, except \$200,000. Mr. Stewart did not accept that statement as accurate, and gave notice of a formal inquiry for fuller information. He asked that a reply be given next day, but the provincial secretary insisted on taking three days of grace for the preparation of the statement. This is the minister's reply: '1. What is the amount of the provincial bonds authorized to be issued that had been authorized to be issued to bear interest at 4 per cent but which had not been issued on the 11th day of March, 1914, was \$1,658,800. '2. What is the amount of the provincial bonds or debentures that have been authorized to be issued at a higher interest at 4 1/2 per cent but which have not yet been issued? '3. What is the amount of provincial bonds that have been authorized to be issued to bear interest at 4 1/2 per cent but have not been issued at 4 1/2 per cent or to the money market, but short term bonds at 4 per cent amounting to the sum of \$2,200,000 have been issued. '4. What amount has been borrowed from the banks at a higher rate of interest than the legal rate of 3 per cent? '5. What is the amount of the rate on overdrafts of the province to 8 per cent on 1st November last. Since that time the province has borrowed \$888,179 in interest for quarter ending December 31, and no interest has been paid for the quarter ending 31st March. 'The reader will note that 4 per cent bonds were on hand March 31, 1914, amounting to \$1,658,800. 'By referring to the acts of 1914 it will be seen that authority was given to sell these at 4 1/2 per cent, and further loans were authorized to the amount of \$2,170,000. 'Authorized at 4 1/2 per cent, \$2,170,000. 'The provincial secretary says he has issued all of this amount except \$200,000, and that he has also issued short term bonds at 5 per cent to the amount of \$2,170,000. 'This is what he says, but it is possibly not what he means. He may mean that he issued none of the 4 1/2 per cent bonds, but that he has placed all of them, except \$200,000, by his 5 per cent issue. If so, by what authority did he increase the issue on bonds from 4 1/2 to 5 per cent? An act has been passed, this session, which authorizes the payment of 5 per cent on bonds, but 4 1/2 was the legal rate when the \$2,200,000 issue of 5 per cent was made. 'The government appears to deal with the funds and credit of the province in any old way, without regard to law or prudence, trusting to a silent and obedient legislature to approve of anything that may be done. 'The amount of bonds the government was authorized to issue after the close of the session of 1914 was, as we have shown, \$2,170,000. 'It will be seen by the official report of Mr. Landry's reply to Mr. Stewart that he gives the amount as \$2,170,000. 'There is nothing to indicate what has become of the balance of \$1,658,800. 'But, taking the full amount of the authorized bonds to be as he says, and interpreting the Chinese puzzle of a reply to mean that the new issue of \$2,200,000 on hand balance it, where did the \$200,000 which he got the cash to take the place of the unused \$200,000 go? He says he has effected no loan at the banks and he has no overdraft, he says, and yet he has \$200,000 on hand! 'It is very difficult to drag any exact information out of the government in reference to its finances. The only explanation that seems possible is that an issue of treasury notes, or some other kind of temporary securities, has been made and kept carefully concealed from the public. The interest on this private and confidential loan is provided for in the \$200,000 vote for interest, but no reference whatever is made to it by the provincial secretary. It is part of the \$1,600,000 that was added to the interest-bearing obligations of the province during the last year. 'Why not call in a chartered accountant to make an independent audit of the public accounts? It is time."

WHEN RUN DOWN

Hood's Sarsaparilla, the Reliable Tonic Medicine, Builds Up

The reason why you feel so tired all the time at this season is that your blood is impure and impure blood lacks vitality. It is not the rich red blood that gives life to the whole body, perfects digestion and enables all the organs to perform their functions as they should. Get Hood's Sarsaparilla from any druggist. It will make you feel better, look better, eat and sleep better. It is the old reliable tried and true all-the-year-round blood purifier and enricher, tonic and appetizer. It revitalizes the blood, and is especially useful in building up the debilitated and run-down. Hood's Sarsaparilla is helping thousands at this time of year. Let it help you. Get a bottle today and begin taking it at once. Be sure to get Hood's. Nothing else acts like it. minister of labor and the minister of railways."

SAGE TEA PUTS LIFE AND COLOR IN HAIR

Don't Stay Gray! It Darkens So Naturally That Nobody Can Tell

You can turn gray, faded hair beautifully dark and lustrous almost overnight if you'll get a 50 cent bottle of "Weyl's Sage and Sulphur Compound" at any drug store. Millions of bottles of this drug, famous Sage Tea Recipe are sold annually, says a well known druggist here, because it darkens the hair so naturally, and evenly, that no one can tell it has been applied. "People whose hair is turning gray, becoming faded, dry, scraggly and thin have a surprise awaiting them, because after one or two applications the gray hair vanishes and your locks become luxuriantly dark and beautiful—all dandruff goes, scalp itching and falling hair stops. This is the age of youth. Gray haired, unattractive folks aren't wanted around, so get busy with Weyl's Sage and Sulphur tonight and you'll be delighted with your dark, handsome hair and your youthful appearance within a few days."

THE HAY FOR FRANCE Woodstock Press—The McCain Company and the French Government are making progress with their contracts for repressing hay. The latter company has pressed 10,000 tons and sent them to St. John for the French government. They have only 1100 tons to be pressed in a fortnight. The firm spent considerable money in town already, paying \$1,500 for hay, \$150 for wages and \$80 for other expenses each day.

The Model MILLINERY



We Wish To Make Special Mention For Saturday Of Ladies' and Misses' Trimmed Hats

These are all in the latest and most up-to-date styles, including the new large hat with transparent rims, however trimmed, the large tagel sailor that is so much in demand, and many other attractive styles. A good variety of Children's Trimmed Hats at moderate prices. Ladies' Untrimmed Hats in all the leading shapes, the smart little close-fitting hat, the neat narrow-brimmed sailor, etc. Everything that is new and that is being called for at the present day. Special arrival of Flowers and Wreaths just opened today for Saturday sale. Read the following list giving a few of the lines—Wreaths, Cherry Buns, Cherry Wreaths, Pansy Wreaths, Mixed Berry and Fruit Wreaths, Berry and Daisy Wreaths, Daisies and Marguerites in all shades and combinations, Black and Gold, New Blues, Tans, Gold and Brown, White, with Yellow, Brown and Green centres, Zebra striped Daisies in all shades. Our range of small Flowers in leading shades is more complete than ever. Special bargains counter of assorted Flowers and Wreaths at 25c each, in all shades.

MODEL MILLINERY CO. 29 Canterbury Street Store Open Till 10 O'clock Sat. Night

Stores Open 8.30 Close 6 O'clock, Saturdays 10 p. m.

Special Week-End Display in Millinery Salon of Ladies' and Misses' Tailored and Dress Hats At Only Five Dollars

Week-End Bargains in Linen Room

- CREAM DAMASK TABLE CLOTHS—All hemmed ready for use. 2 yards square, 3 pairs \$1.90; 2 by 2 1/2 yards, 3 pairs \$2.35. Each \$2.35. CHECKED GLASS TOWELS—Hemmed. Each from 30c upward. HEMMED GLASS TOWELS—17 by 18. Each from 13c upward. Also a few carried over from our last sale at: PAIR 25c. HEMSTITCHED HAND-DRAWN BUREAU COVERS—18 by 24. Each 25c. HEMSTITCHED HAND-DRAWN CENTRES—18 by 18. Each 60c. ODD HALF DOZENS OF TABLE NAPKINS, REMNANTS OF TABLE DAMASK, SOILED BLEACHED DAMASK CLOTHS AND OTHER BARGAINS IN THIS DEPARTMENT.

Immense New Assortments of Spring and Summer Hosiery

- Inspect this new and complete exhibit of the very best values in Hosiery possible to obtain, and take this opportunity of purchasing for the season's requirements. LADIES SUPER-COMBED LUSTRE HOSE—In fact black, white and tan. 3 pairs \$1.00; pair 35c. LADIES SILK Lisle HOSE—Black. 3 pairs \$1.50; pair 50c. LADIES SILK Lisle HOSE—Black. Pair 45c, and 55c. LADIES SILK Lisle HOSE—Tan. Pair 50c, 40c, 45c, 50c. LADIES SILK Lisle HOSE—(Out Size), Black. Pair 50c, 40c. LADIES SILK HOSE—Black, white, pink, sky, bronze, helio, navy, taupe, sand, cardinal, navy, champagne, emerald, bronze. Pair \$1.50 and \$1.65. LADIES COTTON HOLEPROOF HOSE—Guaranteed for six months; black, tan. 6 pairs for \$3.00. LADIES SILK HOLEPROOF HOSE—Guaranteed for three months; black, white, tan. 3 pairs for \$3.00. BOYS AND GIRLS FINE RIBBED BLACK HOLEPROOF HOSE—Guaranteed for three months. 3 pairs for \$1.00. BUSTER BROWN BLACK COTTON HOSE—For boys. Pair 25c. BUSTER BROWN'S SISTER'S COTTON HOSE—For girls, in black, white, tan, pink and sky. Pair 25c. PRINCESS FINE RIBBED COTTON HOSE—In black, white, tan. Pair 25c. CHILDREN'S WHITE COTTON SOCK—With fancy top. Pair 15c to 45c. CHILDREN'S SILK SOCK—Assorted colors. Pair 30c to 50c. SOME HOSE SPECIALS LADIES BLACK COTTON HOSE. Pair 15c. LADIES BLACK COTTON HOSE. Pair 25c. LADIES TAN COTTON HOSE. Pair 25c. LADIES BLACK MERGERIZED COTTON HOSE. Pair 25c, or 2 pairs for 45c. HOSE DEPARTMENT—ANNEX

Manchester Robertson Allison, Limited

Saturday Cash Specials At DANIEL'S

Store Open Until 10 p. m. Saturday Evenings.

- \$525 SILK WAISTS AT \$1.98—Great bargains for those who come while the lot lasts. On Sale Saturday only. Quite a number of different styles of good SILK Waists, some are examples, in Messaline and Pallette, in light and dark colors, plain and fancy styles; some vest effects with rolling collar; sizes 28 to 40. Goods made to sell at from \$4.50 to \$12.95. Saturday Cash Special \$1.98 each. "NEAR SILK" UNDERSKIRTS, \$1.29—New, Soft Finish "Near Silk" Underskirts, in helio, navy or black; made with a pretty, very fine accordion plaid ruffle. Saturday Cash Special, \$1.29 each. Extra large sizes in soft Moreen Underskirts, fine silky finish; especially cut for stout women. Colors, navy, black and purple. Saturday Cash Special, \$1.79 each. CREPE KIMONOS AT \$1.29—Very attractive Crepe Kimonos, in plain colors, sky, rose and pink; made with shirred shoulder and pompadour trimming around neck and down front. Saturday Cash Special, \$1.29 each. UNHEMMED WHITE SHEETS AT 49c EACH—Shooting in each worth 60c, 2 by 2 1/2 yards, good strong quality, full bleach. Saturday Cash Special, 49c each. 200 GOOD PILLOW SLIPS, 15c EACH—Sold on Saturday only; also made from strong bleached pillow cotton, 2 inch hem. Saturday Cash Special, 15c each. 1,200 YARDS WHITE COTTON IN 5 YARD CUTS—For Saturday customers only. We will sell above quantity full bleach 11c cotton in 5 yard lengths. Saturday Cash Price. SATURDAY TOWELLING—Ten and eleven cent Lines. Crash Towelling to be sold in 5 yard lengths. Saturday Cash Price. TABLE DAMASK—Full Bleached Fine Table Damask, 70 inches wide; sold in 2 1/2 yard lengths. Value \$1.63. Saturday Cash Special, \$1.45. 40 INCH APRON GINGHAM—Sold in 1 1/2 yard lengths. Saturday Cash Special, 15c per apron length. BLACK SILKS—Double Width FAIR Fabelle Silk, in black, bright finish; only 100 yards at Price. Saturday Cash Special, 69c yard. 70 YARDS FANCY CREPES, 12 1/2c A YARD—For those making Summer Dresses, as offering of 700 yards Fancy or Plain White Crepes and Flises, 27 in wide. Saturday Cash Special, 12 1/2c yd. GIRLS NEW WASH DRESSES, 14 YEARS, 69c EACH—Special purchase Girls' Wash Dresses, pretty fancy Cambric, trimmed pink or blue Chambray, new shaped belt effect; sizes 6 to 14 years. Saturday Cash Special, 69c each. LITTLE BOYS OLIVER TWIST SUITS—Pretty Blue or Tan Fawn Suits, in Oliver Twist style; some striped colors as well; sizes 1 to 4 years. Saturday Cash Special, 48c each. SATURDAY WHITEWEAR—BARGAINS IN GOWNS—New Slipover Gowns, special lot just in, trimmed lace and embroidery, some with insertion and beading. Saturday Cash Special, 59c each. 37 HOUSE DRESSES AT \$1.29 EACH—This price for Saturday only. New attractive styles, light and dark House Dresses. Regular value up to \$2.00; all sizes represented in the lot. Saturday Cash Special, \$1.29 each. OVERALL APRONS, 73c EACH—New, complete covering, extra large Aprons, in good Cambric, light or dark; full size. Saturday Cash Special, 73c each. ORGANDIE COLLARS, SATURDAY, 10c.—Great Bargain at Neckwear counter. Several lines of New York Organdie Neckwear have been made to sell at 25c each; bought at a great concession. On Saturday, Choice of Lot at 10c each. MEN'S SHIRTINGS—Three and a half yard lengths of Good Heavy Oxford Shirtings, in stripes or checks. Saturday Cash Special, 48c per length. SUED KID GLOVES, 69c A PAIR—Special in French Suede Kid Gloves, in tan and grey only; good soft skins. Imported to sell at \$1.35. Saturday Cash Special, 69c pair. While They Last, 89c pair. REAL NAPPA WALKING GLOVES, 69c A PAIR—English Nappa Leather Gloves, in good shades of tan; all sizes. Saturday Cash Special, 69c pair. TIPPERARY VELS, 38c EACH—New Separate Vels with Satin Ribbon border, 1 1/2 yards long, in black or colors. Value 60c to 60c. Saturday Cash Special, 38c each. 300 YARDS HAIR RIBBONS—Good Quality Wide Silk Hair Ribbons, all nice spring shades. Saturday Cash Special, 12 1/2c a yard. CUSHION TOPS AND LAUNDRY BAGS—Large Denim Laundry Bags, stamped good designs, in deep blue or pink. Saturday, 15c each. Natural Linen Cushion Tops, 21 in square. Saturday, 15c each. TURBAN PINS—SNAP PRICES A snap in those large Shell Turban Pins, popular designs. Values up to 30c. Saturday, 15c each. CUSHION FORMS, SATURDAY, 29c EACH—Good Size White Covered Cushion Forms, all well filled; special purchase. Saturday Cash Special, 29c each. BEDROOM CURTAINS—600 yards Scrims, Mullins and Net, suitable for bedroom curtains; some with pretty colored bands. Saturday Cash Special, 12 1/2c yd. BED SPREADS—87 Medium Sized White Bed Spreads, fair quality. Saturday Cash Special, \$1.25 each. PORTIERES—Tapestry Portieres to be sold in singles or pairs, 2 1/2 yards long; green or crimson. Saturday Cash Special, 55c each. COUCH COVERS—Roman Striped Couch Covers, in good colors, fringe all round, full size. Saturday Cash Special, \$1.19 each.

The following story was told at a recent dinner of the Filigian Publicity Association: "A farmer had twenty employes on his farm and as none of them was as energetic as the farmer thought he should be, he hit upon a plan which he believed would cure them of their lazy habits. "Men," he said one morning, "I have plenty of a nice easy job for the laziest man on the farm. Will the laziest man step forward?" Instantly nineteen of the men stepped forward. "Why don't you step to the front with the rest?" inquired the farmer of the remaining one. "Too much trouble," came the reply. "I wish," he said a little impatiently, "you wouldn't ask me again to be your wife. I have thought it all over and I'm sure I can never learn to love you." "Oh, that's all right," he replied. "I don't expect you to learn to love me, but please let me keep on trying to persuade you. I expect to go into the real estate business and I'll need all the practice along this line that I can get."