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STOP AND READ THIS CLOTHING NEWS

Thursday: Our Mid-Summer Sale of Men's and Boys' Clothing and Furnishings Starts

THE MOST IMPORTANT ECONOMY EVENT OF THE SEASON!

Thousands of Saint John men wait for this sale and every man who takes advantage of it will be glad he has waited. Clothing sales come and clothing sales go, but the Oak Hall Annual Mid-Summer Sales remain in a class by themselves—beyond the reach of rivalry or competition. The reason for this supremacy must be plain to all who realize that

The Oak Hall Original Prices Are Already 25 Per Cent. or More Below Those of Any Other Store in St. John, Before They Are Reduced

Based on other stores prices, therefore, you will, in many cases, be able to buy clothing at this sale at about 50 cents on the dollar. And, like all our sales, this one reflects the progress of the greatest retail clothing business in the Maritime Provinces—inasmuch as it will be the best Mid-Summer Sale we ever held.

NO GOODS ON APPROVAL DURING THIS SALE

MEN'S SUITS

\$ 5.00 Fancy Tweed and Worsted Suits reduced to	3.90
6.50 Fancy Tweed and Worsted Suits reduced to	4.90
8.50 Fancy Tweed and Worsted Suits reduced to	6.35
12.00 Fancy Tweed and Worsted Suits reduced to	8.65
15.00 Fancy Tweed and Worsted Suits reduced to	10.65
18.00 Fancy Tweed and Worsted Suits reduced to	14.95
25.00 Fancy Tweed and Worsted Suits reduced to	19.85
12.00 Blue and Black Worsted and Cheviot Suits reduced to	9.45
15.00 Blue and Black Worsted and Vienna Suits reduced to	12.85

SOME MEN'S SUITS REDUCED TO HALF-PRICE

In going through our stock of Fancy Tweed and Worsted Suits we find a great many lines sold down to one's and two's, which we have grouped together and will clear them out at half price.

\$10.00 Suits to be sold at... \$5.00 \$12.00 Suits to be sold at... \$6.00
15.00 Suits to be sold at... 7.50 20.00 Suits to be sold at... 10.00

MEN'S CHESTERFIELD OVERCOATS

In Fancy Tweeds, silk faced motor collar style	
\$10.00 Coats reduced to	7.50
\$12.00 Coats reduced to	9.35
15.00 Coats reduced to	11.25
16.50 Coats reduced to	12.35
20.00 Coats reduced to	14.95

MEN'S WATERPROOF COATS

Our full stock of Waterproof Coats, Scotch paramatta in Fawn and Green, good stylish Coats, guaranteed absolutely waterproof, the following sale prices

\$1.50 Fancy Tweed Trousers reduced to	1.15
1.75 Fancy Tweed Trousers reduced to	1.35
2.50 Fancy Tweed Trousers reduced to	1.98
3.00 Fancy Worsted Trousers reduced to	2.45
3.75 Fancy Worsted Trousers reduced to	2.90
4.00 Fancy Worsted Trousers reduced to	3.10

DRESS AND FROCK SUITS AT SPECIAL PRICES

MEN'S TWO-PIECE SUITS AT BIG REDUCTIONS

MEN'S OUTING TROUSERS—PRICES AWAY DOWN

MEN'S WASHABLE VESTS—AT LITTLE PRICES

MEN'S OVERALLS AND JUMPERS AT GREAT REDUCTIONS.

OUR FULL STOCK OF TRUNKS AT REDUCED PRICES

No attempt has been given to give wordy descriptions—simply brief, bold statements of the values. We know that when you come and see it, the Clothing will tell its own story better than we can. There will be no scarcity of sizes—we have all regular sizes and sizes for stout men, slim men and young men. It is pre-eminently the Clothing Opportunity of the season!

Keeping in mind that we are manufacturers you can see that the savings are really very much bigger than appears on the surface. Why, there isn't a retailer anywhere who wouldn't be glad to buy our Clothing at the prices we're selling it direct to you for during this sale.

STORE CLOSED ALL DAY WEDNESDAY so we can be better prepared to serve you promptly when you come on the opening day.

SALE STARTS THURSDAY, JULY 14TH, AND ENDS SATURDAY, JULY 23RD

Be here early as you can and come as often as possible.

OAK HALL--Scovil Bros., Limited, - - St. John, N. B.

SETTLERS POUR INTO ALBERTA

Calgary, Alberta, July 8.—Tents have been called into requisition to care for the settlers pouring into this region. At Basano the dominion department of the interior has provided canvas shelters, also at various points along the route traveled toward the Red Deer river. Never in the settlement of Alberta has there been such demand for accommodations. Night after night scores of people have had to sleep on hotel floors. Even in Calgary tents may be required, for the boom in building has produced a brick famine.

The population of the western provinces has increased by 10,000 people within 30 days. Six thousand of these were from Europe and 4,000 from the United States. Passenger officials of the "Soo" line, owned by the Canadian Pacific railway, estimate that fully 30,000 people have crossed the line from the United States this spring. The record for the year will far surpass that of any previous year. At the same time trainloads of Canadian wheat are going south. Heavy freights pass at sidings with cars loaded with settlers' goods, going north, and cars loaded with grain going south.

The appearance of tents at Basano typifies the condition that prevails throughout Alberta. The weather has imposed no hardships upon settlers, men, women and children, who have been living in tents. The temperature has been mild and spring farm work has progressed rapidly. Crop conditions are in advance of normal seasons, and dicing has been in progress for weeks.

Buy By Agent

The influx of settlers, including the English colonists for the "ready-made" farms of the Irricana tract, has so far exceeded expectations that prospective purchasers who have been unable to go in person have sent agents with certified checks to make the selection of their land. Many farmers of Ontario have done this. One agent from there arrived with checks and authority to buy \$20,000 worth of land. One picturesque feature of the movement from the United States is that from the states of Idaho, Washington and Montana, American neighbors are coming in special cars in such numbers that the difficulty is not in making sales, but in finding land for them to buy. Two railway land agents operating in Washington, declare their sales will total 100 sections each this year. Arrivals at Strathmore, according to the reports, have increased each week, and that town is said to have the unique distinction of welcoming the largest number of colonists of any town of like size on the continent. Merchants are finding it difficult to keep up the stocks of dry goods and groceries necessary to meet the demand, and implement dealers are overwhelmed with customers. Probably nothing like this situation ever was seen during the building of the west.

An American spectator of the drama at Basano enacted after a trainload of settlers from the United States have arrived, over the Canadian Pacific railway, writes: "Across the track in the deepening twilight, the settlers busied themselves preparing for the night. From the box cars from the states they tumbled their effects in great stacks on the prairie, covering them with huge canvas sheets, or loaded them directly into prairie schooners which they backed up against the car doors for the purpose. Others pitched diminutive tent shelters into which mother and father and children retired for the night, with the cow, the horse, the pig and the chickens tethered nearby. A regular village of tents formed. What a significant link they made, I thought, as I looked over, in the great chain of settlers, so steadily streaming northwards into the far Red Deer country. Day after day, in a cloud of dust they disappeared over the rising prairie in their lumbering wagons, children, dogs, poultry, utensils, lumber to build the home, seed for the farm, hay for the horses and implements for operations, all packed promiscuously together into the car; so characteristic of the settlers, that it is taking place back to the land, on the part of our neighbors from across the line.

As a whole, a fine looking lot of people, people with fine faces, full of character; splendid physique, evidently filled with optimism and ambition, happy in anticipation of the fact that they themselves would soon take possession of farms of their own. Three thousand of these people have already trailed north this year from Basano and one or two other points in their show windows in connection with the goods they have to sell. By many this flag, with its patched pieces, has a sentimental association with the greatest achievement of modern times, which makes its employment for purely commercial uses peculiarly inappropriate.

Its proper place many think is in the Museum of Natural History, which did so much to encourage popular interest and provide funds to enable Peary to make his frequent expeditions to the Arctic in the last twenty years. To those who think this way, its present use as a side show for cash registers and other commercial articles, is a prostitution of the national emblem, which puts it in line with the professional barkers and "puller in" men of the east side.

People who use straw mattresses say the last issue of the government health report from Washington, run the risk of being attacked with the straw itch. The irritation is due to the presence in the straw of a garrulous little parasite that is never so happy as when chewing holes in the hide of some poor recumbent mortal. In the Bowery lodging houses owned by the Astors and the Trinity Church Corporation, the little demon of prey is said to be unduly ravenous these torrid days.

PEARY'S FLAG USED AS AN "AD"

Use of North Pole Bunting is Criticized

'WARE THE STRAW

Now They Warn us Against Itch Caused By Sleeping on Straw Mattresses—Did Uncle Sam Blunder in Raid on United Wireless Company

(Times' New York Correspondence.) New York, June 25.—There has been a good deal of criticism heard these days apropos of the promiscuous advertising use of the American flag carried to the North Pole by Commander Peary. At various times during the last few months it has been loaned to various business houses along Broadway for display in their show windows in connection with the goods they have to sell. By many this flag, with its patched pieces, has a sentimental association with the greatest achievement of modern times, which makes its employment for purely commercial uses peculiarly inappropriate.

R R R RADWAY'S READY RELIEF FOR COLIC

The best means of relieving this order, is to ingurgitate a quantity of the Ready Relief, and with water, taken internally. It is a powerful contact with metallic poisons. Carefully keep bowels free with this medicine. Ask for Radway's and Take No Substitutes

Remarkable Dog

John Stonehooker of Colfax has a remarkable dog that accompanies him in his daily work as helper. If John needs anything he writes a message on a leaf from his notebook, places it in the dog's mouth, and bids him take it to his wife at home. The faithful animal makes the trip speedily, and returns promptly with what is needed. The other day John sent his four-footed helper with a pail to a spring half a mile from where he was busy in the field to get drinking water, which poured from an iron pipe. As she was gone longer than he thought necessary, John glanced in the direction she should come, and saw her racing across the sod chasing a ground squirrel. Directly she caught and killed the squirrel, the dog trotted back toward the spring a short distance, picked up the bucket of water in her mouth and hastened with it to her master. It is an almost daily task of this dog to carry written orders from her mistress to the grocer or butcher and carry home packages of goods ordered in the missives—Colfax (Town) Clipper.

Economy on your part would be stinginess on the part of your neighbor.

We wonder what Eve fussed about before Adam learned to smoke.

Dr. Chase's Ointment is a certain cure for each and every form of itching, bleeding and protruding piles. Send testimonials to the press and ask your doctor to help you. You can save and get your money back if not satisfied. Write at all times to Dr. Chase, Bates & Co., Toronto.

DR. CHASE'S OINTMENT.