

Especially Good Offerings.

With VALUE the Strong Point

For the guidance of those who fare forth on shopping bent, and for the profitable outlaying of Dollars and Cents, nowhere in the City to-day will you find such activity among enthusiastic shoppers as at BAIRD'S.

Knowing ones will readily perceive the following items as the Master Bargains for

FRIDAY, SAT. & MONDAY

OUR CHRISTMAS STOCKS ARE OPENED

And ere this advertisement appears we shall have commenced displaying our selections for Xmas, 1920.

You need not go outside this Store to find your Gift List, as we have provided Sensible, Practical Gifts for every member of the family, as well as Toys, Books, Games and other things inseparable from the festive season.

It is unnecessary to urge you to do your shopping early, as the last few years have clearly shown that the early shopper got the pick of everything, and besides Shopping Early is easier, more satisfying, than rushing the last few days. Come in and look around.

GLOVES Marking Down HOSIERY

for Everybody



Listed at

Lowered Prices

LADIES' WOOL GLOVES—Long wristed Gloves. These are assorted, values to \$1.25; shades of Grey, Fawns and Chamolais; Ladies' and Misses' sizes. Special Friday, Saturday & Mon. **95c.**

LADIES' CHAMOIS GAUNTLET GLOVES—Real washable Chamolais Gloves with gauntlet wrist, in natural and white fringed wristlet; excellent quality. Reg. \$5.50. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$4.75**

WIRE MEN'S GLOVES—In tough Moose Skin, and other makes; some with gauntlet wrist, able to stand hard wear; a special lot; values to \$2.00 pair. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$1.49**

LADIES' WOOL GAUNTLET GLOVES—Long Wool Gauntlet Gloves, extra fine quality; shades of Grey, Beaver, Heather and White. The very Glove you need. Reg. \$2.30. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$1.98**

MEN'S CAPE KID GLOVES—Finest grade Cape Kid Gloves in Dark Tan shade, warmly lined; 1 done wrist; sizes 8 to 10. Reg. \$4.50. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$4.15**

This week we offer just what you need in warm Wadded Quilts with plain and fancy covering; ample covering Quilts for cold nights. Reg. \$5.70. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$5.15**

Reg. \$7.25. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$6.65**

Reg. \$8.00. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$7.20**

Reg. \$9.00. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$8.10**

Reg. \$16.50. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$14.85**

START YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING TO-DAY

PLAID BLANKETS

PLAID COTTON BLANKETS—Ever so many pretty Plaid Blankets, size 68 x 74; heavy, warm, fluffy top fleecing; suitable for your own beds, the nursery or the maid's bed. Reg. \$6.50 pair. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$5.79**

CHILDREN'S FLEECE BLANKETS—Soft, warm, fluffy, fleeced topped Cotton Blankets in pretty Blue and White and Pink and White mixtures; size 30 x 38. Regular \$1.60. Friday, Saturday & Monday **\$1.44**

NAVY BLUE SERGE—Fast Navy Devonshire Serge, 29 inches wide. This is one of the best wearing materials for boys' wear; ideal for Brigade pants. Reg. \$2.50 yard value. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$2.98**

Felt Footwear

WOMEN'S FELT BOOTS—Warm Blk. Felt Boots with leather sole and heel; sizes 3½, 4, 4½ and 5 only; warm fleece lining. To clear Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$2.40**

WOMEN'S FELT JULIETS—Shades of Purple, Green, Brown, Navy and Black; fur topped, leather sole and heel. Reg. 4.00 pair. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$3.59**

LADIES' FELT SPATS—12 button height in very best grade warm felt, beautifully finished; shades of Slate, Fawn and Brown. Regular \$4.50 pair. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$3.30**

DO YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING EARLY.

TEA COSIES

Pretty Silk and Satin Tea Cosies, frilled and looped, with best steen lining; well filled. Regular \$4.00. Friday, Saturday & Monday **\$3.45**

SEDEBOARD CLOTHS—Plain linen centre with four inch lace border all around; a nice cloth to embroider for Christmas Gift. Reg. \$1.75. Friday, Saturday & Monday **\$1.55**

WHITE TOWELS—Plain White Turkish Towels in a good usable size; extra good quality. Reg. \$1.50 value. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$1.28**

WHITE CURTAIN LACES—A couple of pieces of Pure White Curtain Laces, strong thread, heavy pattern. Reg. 45c. yard. Friday, Saturday and Monday **39c.**

CHINTZ COVERS—Suitable for many purposes; lots of pretty patterns, lace edged; for toilet table, trunk cover, mantle or table. Regular 75c. Friday, Saturday and Monday **65c.**

COLOURED QUILTS—Large size Coloured Honeycomb Quilts, fringed ends, mixed Blue and White, Crimson and White and Green and White; serviceable wearing. Reg. \$6.50. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$5.85**

DAMASK TEA CLOTHS—Crimson bordered White Damask Tea Cloths or Centre Cloths; extra good quality; 36 inch size; square. Regular \$1.75. Friday, Saturday & Monday **\$1.55**

STAIR OIL CLOTHS—18 inch Stair Oil Cloths, fancy centre and bordered; soft limp finish. Special, per yard. Friday, Saturday and Monday **34c.**

BOYS' SAILOR SUITS UNDERPRICED

Navv Serge Sailor Suits with white braided collars; sizes to 8 years.

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| Regular \$10.00. Sale Price | \$8.90 |
| Regular \$14.50. Sale Price | \$12.90 |
| Regular \$18.50. Sale Price | \$16.50 |



Amusing, Entertaining & Instructive BOOKS for the Children

Polly's Dolls; assorted. Special 12c.
Puss in Boots, Tom Thumb, The House that Jack Built, etc. 15c.
Nursery Rhymes and A.B.C. Books 16c.
Little Stories for young readers; large stiff cover . . . 25c.
Pussy Cat Rhymes, Toby, Tidy, etc. 30c.
Simple Stories, Illustrated; Great 32c.
Father Tuck's Paint Book; complete 45c.
Complete Stories for boys or girls; Nursery Songs with music; Wee Willy Winkles and many others. 50c.
Wide Awake Stories; large Books 75c.

Novelty Curtains

NOVELTY CURTAINS—Lace Edged Scrim Curtains in White and Beige. These are very dainty for Bedroom Curtains. Reg. \$4.00. Friday, Saturday & Monday **\$3.39**

LACE CURTAINS—36 pairs of White and Cream Lace Curtains, assorted lengths. Values to \$2.50 pair. Friday, Saturday & Monday **\$1.89**

Secure These SHIRT VALUES



A Mint of Good Values in the Showroom this Week

SILK HANDKERCHIEFS—Colored Silk Handkerchiefs, in shades of Purple, Henna, Cerise, Emerald, Myrtle, Canary, etc., and others in White with coloured border. Regular 25c. each. Friday, Saturday and Monday **17c.**

LADIES' JERSEY UNDERKIRTS—Seasonable Grey Jersey Undershirts with wide linen waistband, very warm and comfortable; made in full sizes. Regular \$3.00. Friday, Saturday & Monday **\$2.59**

BRACELETS—Superior quality Bracelets with embroidery yoke and lace edging, boned throughout; some with hooked front; others tie at back; sizes 24 to 44. Reg. \$1.50. Fri., Sat., & Mon. **\$1.25**

CLOTH TAMS—Fashionable Colored Cloth Tams, with band; shades of Emerald, Saxe, Crimson, Peach, Fawn, Brown and White. Reg. \$2.30. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$1.98**

FLANNELETTE UNDERKIRTS—Children's and Misses' sizes in good warm White Flannelette Undershirts with body, bonice finished with button hole edge of pink or sky; for 6 to 12 years. Reg. \$1.50. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$1.12**

Silks! Sale of Rich TAFFETA SILKS

36 inch DRESS SILKS—Beautiful shades in beautiful Taffeta Silks, 36 inches wide. We have a generous supply of these and make a very special price for such excellent Silks; shades of Sky, Navy, Saxe, Green, Sand, Grey, Purple, Nigger, Brown, Pink, Slate and Black. Reg. \$4.75 yard. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$3.98**

MEN'S ENGLISH SHIRTS, Full Sizes

MEN'S TOP SHIRTS—Do you want something special in Shirts? It's right here with fancy striped, brilliant front and double soft cuffs; value for \$2.25; all sizes. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$2.65**

MEN'S NECKWEAR—Long flowing end Silk Neckwear in all wanted shades, pretty stripes and other fancy mixtures. Reg. \$2.50. Friday, Saturday & Monday **\$2.25**

MEN'S BRACES—Police Braces with all leather fastenings and stout buckles. Special Friday, Sat., & Mon. **75c.**

MEN'S ONE-SHALE BOOTS—Only one seam and they're in the back; Blucher cut, extra heavy leather, sprigged and lew, heavy sole; a very sensible boot for this season. Special Friday & Monday **\$6.75**

MEN'S TOP SHIRTS—Plain Linen Shirts in shades of Light Saxe, Hello and Cream; double soft cuffs, full sizes in the body. Regular \$3.70. Friday, Saturday and Monday **\$3.35**

BOYS' PULLMAN CAPS—One-piece Wool Pullman Caps in pretty Grey, Green and Brown mixtures. A real boy's cap, warm and very comfortable. Regular \$1.60. Friday, Saturday & Monday **\$1.55**

MEN'S WHITE WOOL GLOVES—Very heavy White Wool Gloves with heavy ribbed wool wrist. These are special quality. Try a pair. Special Friday & Monday **\$1.50**

BOYS' CALF BOOTS—Size 9 to 13 in heavy Calf Boots for boys; Blucher cut, solid leather sole and heel. Reg. \$4.50 pair. Friday, Saturday & Monday **\$3.95**



SCOTCH WINCEY—39 inch Cream Scotch Wincey. This is an excellent material for Ladies' Misses' & Children's Night-dresses, Knickerbockers and such like. Reg. \$1.80 value. Friday, Saturday & Monday **84c.**

GIRLS' WOOL CAPS—GIRLS' WOOL CAPS—Plain Wool, Pullman style Winter Caps for girls or little boys; shades of Brown, Pink, Saxe, Emerald and others. Values to 80c. Friday, Sat. & Monday **59c.**

Men's and Boys' Mackinaw Coats

The Coat of Coats for the outdoor man—the Milkman, Farmer, Trainsman and others; easy to get about in; heavy dark plaid materials; large roll collar; in every way a Comfort Coat.

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| Reg. \$14.50. Now | \$12.75 |
| Reg. \$15.00. Now | \$13.45 |
| Reg. \$22.50. Now | \$19.75 |
| Reg. \$25.00. Now | \$22.25 |
| Reg. \$27.00. Now | \$23.85 |
| Reg. \$30.00. Now | \$26.90 |

BOYS' MACKINAW COATS. Reg. \$14.50. Now **\$12.75**

Death of a Religiense.

The Angel of Death visited the Presentation Convent, Cathedral Square, on Wednesday morning and bore away to receive the eternal reward promised to "those who instruct many unto justice" the soul of Mother Mary Ignatius Carrick after a brief illness borne with gentle resignation.

For more than a half century Mother M. Ignatius wore the religious garb of the daughters of Nano Nagle, devoting her time, her talents, yes, her whole being to those little ones for whose welfare, temporal and eternal she had quitted home and friends, and whom she loved with true motherly tenderness.

Amiable, humble, unassuming and possessed of those great qualities of mind and heart which fit one for offices of superiority. Mother M. Ignatius was, early in her religious life, chosen to fill high positions in her Order; for many years she was Mistress of Novices and to-day there are among the Presentation Nuns in the Island many whose happy boast is that they were trained by Mother Ignatius. After having fulfilled ably and well the duties of Mother Assistant, Mother M. Ignatius was appointed Superioress of St. Patrick's Convent which post she held for five years. Returning to the Mother House in 1895 she was soon called on again to assume the burden of office and was elected as Mother Superior of the Convent at Cathedral Square; the responsible duties of this position she discharged with general satisfaction. Last year on October 23rd Mother M. Ignatius celebrated the Golden Jubilee of her religious profession. On Sunday last, the Feast of the Presentation, she assisted for the last time at the Community exercises; on Monday, as it was evident that the end was near, the last sacraments were administered; her patience, her confidence and her spirit of prayer were a source of much edification to those who came to see a saint die and at length, without struggle or pain the great soul passed out to Him in whom she had trusted and for whom she had labored during all the years of her long life. Let us hope and pray that even now she is enjoying the Beatific vision in the land afar where all is peace and joy and rest.

This morning at 10 o'clock High Mass of Requiem was celebrated in the Chapel of the Immaculate Conception for the repose of the soul of the deceased religieuse and immediately afterwards the funeral took place. The body was laid in the Convent Cemetery amongst those of so many of her sisters in religion with whom she had lived and worked and who had preceded her to the Great Beyond. May she and they rest in peace. Amen.

Consumers to be Mulcted

OF QUARTER MILLION DOLLARS. In Wednesday's issue of the Advocate it was announced that business firms could purchase through the Control Board, sugar in twenty-five barrel lots, instead of 50 as heretofore, upon presentation of a certified cheque for about eighteen hundred dollars. The Food Control Board ruling that the ordinance would hold good until February 15th next. How many outport and city dealers there are who can plank down \$1800 for but one article of stock, can only be guessed at. Certainly not more than one dozen. Hundreds of others must be content to purchase through the more fortunate ones, paying them, of course, an extra cent on the transaction. That the last of the F.C.B. may be worse than the first is a mooted question, and perhaps another Hickman may come forward and be their undoing before very long. It has been stated by members of the Board that the stock of sugar imported last spring would be all used up by December, and that then free importations would be permitted. It was subsequently found that enormous losses had been incurred, which could only be made good by keeping up the control until February 15th. According to the Advocate, the sales of sugar have increased surprisingly since the price was reduced to 25c., so that there should be no doubt that all the sugar will be sold by the end of December. This assertion is verified by the fact that certain members of the F.C.B. at a recent meeting favored allowing free importation during December. Having no stocks the Board must perform import for January, and part of February consumption some 4,500 barrels of sugar. This commodity can now be bought in New York at 84c. cents, but the Board, of course, must and will sell it at 23-1-4 as they have stated. This transaction will fleece consumers to the tune of nearly a quarter of a million dollars. The question is will the people stand for the outrage? Already the Board's past muddlings have cost the consumers close on a half million dollars. These scandals may yet close with the spectacle of a body created by the Government to protect people from profiteers, being itself halted before court for the breach of a law that it was instrumental in making. Buying at 84c. plus duty and freight and selling at 23c. is profiteering, no matter by whom done. The law says offenders will be punished by a penalty.

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