

## The St. John's Octette

## TO HOLD CHARITY CONCERT.

Under the auspices of the Llewellyn Club a grand concert will be held in the Methodist College Hall on St. George's Night, April 23rd. This concert will prove something new in the musical line. For some time past the musical talent in the city banded together under the name of the St. John's Octette, have been undergoing careful training. As the name implies "St. John's Octette" is composed of eight male voices including the best of St. John's present-day soloists. They are being trained by one of our best popular Professors of music, particular attention being given to correct the blending of voices. The programme will consist of choruses, art-songs, quartettes, duets and solos. There is no doubt but that the St. John's Octette will prove a hit, as during a recent concert some of its members brought down the house in a quartette. Further particulars will be forthcoming.

## St. John's Wolf Cubs.

## HOLD ENJOYABLE CONCERT.

A very enjoyable concert and singing people. No mention was made of the Methodist College Hall by the 1st St. John's Pack, Wolf Cubs, Gower St. Scouts. The affair was attended by a very large audience which took pains to hide its appreciation of the efforts to provide for its entertainment. The Cubs' Grand Howl was great success whilst the various songs, quartettes and other exercises were all very well received. The other members of the programme were all very good and the whole affair was a great success. The Gower St. Troop of Scouts are to be congratulated on the success of their first concert. The members of the programme were:

## PART ONE.

1. Council Circle and Grand Howl.  
2. March and Drill.  
3. Recitation, "The Model Boy"  
4. Solo, "The Scout."  
5. Recitation, "The Scout."  
6. Solo, "The Newfoundland Scout."  
7. Recitation, "The Tenderfoot."  
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19. Recitation, "The Tenderfoot."  
20. Solo, "The Tenderfoot."

## PART TWO.

1. Solo, "Break o' Day," Miss Russell.  
2. Violin Solo, Miss Moulton.  
3. Solo, "To-day is Fair," Miss Moulton.  
4. Piano Solo, Miss Davis.  
5. Solo, Miss Ruth Calvert.  
6. Recitation, "Love in a Balloon."  
7. Solo, Japanese Love Song, Mrs. Hearder.  
8. Solo, "The Tenderfoot."  
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## Laid to Rest.

Yesterday afternoon the mortal remains of John W. W. were laid to rest in the church of England Cemetery. The funeral was large and representative testifying to the esteem in which the deceased was held. The service was held in the Select Vestry of the Cathedral where the funeral service was conducted by the Rev. Canon Jones. His Lordship Bishop White, Messrs. Bolt and Field with Rev. J. W. W. occupying seats in the stalls.

## Sydney Firm Gets Contract.

The Sydney Post states that H. G. W. & Co., of Sydney, have secured a contract for heating and plumbing of the Royal Bank building in course of construction by the Dickie Company. The work will cost about \$10,000 and will be under way soon.

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## Bargains that are too good to miss—at the Royal Stores

There is a type of merchandise which makes you exclaim as soon as you set eyes on it, "I must buy that—it's too good to miss!" Bargains of this kind we are offering week after week—and at prices which are not only lower than for years past but also without parallel in St. John's to-day.

You can form no better habit than of paying regular and frequent visits to this Store. Study the many offers on this page and plan to be here

## FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

## Children's Play Clothes

**Children's Cotton Rompers.**  
Gingham Rompers, strongly made, to fit children of 2 to 5 years; Blue Gingham with White stripes; straps to go over shoulders; loose legs; patch pockets. Regular 75c. \$1.00 each for . . . . . 75c.

**Child's Cotton Overalls.**  
Useful garments, well made of colored Gingham, flowered designs and checks, plaited skirts, short sleeves, buttoned down fronts; to fit a child of 1 to 5 years. Reg. 90c. 72c. each for . . . . . 72c.

## All-Wool Pull-Over

In delightful color combinations including Flesh and White, Saxe and White, Nile and White, Rose and White; V-shaped neck, tied in front with tassels; sleeves; sizes 36 to 42 inch. Regular \$4.00 \$5.00 each for . . . . . \$4.00

## Crepe-de-Chene Blouses

A nice assortment of pretty styles in shades of Flesh and in White; roll collars; some finished with hemstitching on fronts; others quite plain; sizes 36 and 42 inch. Reg. \$5.30 each for . . . \$5.60

## Bargains That Have Beaten All Records

Amazing as all our bargains have been during our "March Clearance Sales" the items listed here have beaten all records. Each bargain shows a saving of 40 to 50 per cent. Come and examine the goods yourself. The values will convince you.

## Flannelettes.

36 inches wide, White Flannelette. Regular 60c. yard for . . . . . 54c.  
Regular 55c. yard for . . . . . 29c.  
Striped Flannelette. Reg. 40c. yard for . . . 28c.  
Mottled Flannelette. Reg. 60c. yard for . . . 27c.

## White Jeans and Drills.

In short lengths, 36 inches wide. Regular \$1.00 yard for . . . . . 50c.

## White Dotted Muslins.

Shower of Hall and other designs. Regular 60c. yard for . . . . . 39c.  
Regular 70c. yard for . . . . . 45c.

## Washing Silks.

33 inches, in colored stripes; a fine assortment of designs. Regular \$3.20 yard for . . . . . \$1.60  
Regular \$3.50 yard for . . . . . \$1.80

## Ceylonette.

In a nice selection of colored striped designs. Regular \$1.40 yard for . . . . . 70c.

## Curtain Scrims.

2,500 yards Plain Curtain Scrim in White and Cream, 36 inches wide; 7 1/2 to 10 yard lengths. Reg. 35c. yard for . . . . . 16c.  
750 yards White Curtain Scrim with Light Blue or Pink borders; 36 inches wide; lengths from 5 to 15 yards. Reg. 45c. yard for . . . 25c.

## Percales.

High grade Percales in fancy stripes and dotted designs; 36 inches wide. Reg. 70c. 35c. yard for . . . . . 35c.

## Brilliant.

36 inches wide, all White with self-stitch stripes. Reg. 80c. yard for . . . . . 40c.

## Challies.

36 inch wide Challies, material for quilt covering. Reg. 70c. yard for . . . 32c.

## The New Fabrics for Spring



## English Costume Tweeds.

56 inches wide, fancy checked designs, in Greys, Fawns and Browns. Reg. \$6.25 a yard for . . . \$4.10

## Plain Mixed Tweeds.

54 inches wide, smart Spring shades of Blue, Grey, Fawn, Green and Marone. Reg. \$6.00 a yard for . . . \$4.00

## Fancy Tweeds.

40 inches wide, a Special Line, excellent value, hand-some mixtures in Fawn, Grey and Brown. Regular \$3.75 a yard for . . . . . \$2.40

## Brocade Linings.

40 inches wide; colors of Cream, Navy, Saxe, Sky, Brown, Fawn, Grey, Myrtle, V Rose, Prune, Black and White; fully merized. Regular \$1.75 a yard for . . . \$1.35

## Polonaise Costume Linings.

40 inches wide; Mercerized finish; Colors: V Rose, Myrtle, Grey, Fawn, Brown, Sky, Saxe, Navy, Cream, Black and White. Regular \$1.50 a yard for . . . . . \$1.10

## Check Gingham.

2,000 yards good quality Gingham in a large assortment of patterns and colorings; 26 inches wide. Regular 45c. a yard for . . . . . 33c.  
Another lot of Plain Blue Gingham. Regular 45c. a yard for . . . . . 22 1/2 c.  
Plain, Check and Striped Gingham; Linen finish. Regular 65c. a yard for . . . . . 39c.

## New Spring Footwear

## LADIES' TAN CALF BOOTS

—24 pairs only; smart new styles for Spring; sizes 2 1/2 to 6; pointed toes, Cuban heels, invisible eyelets. Reg. \$14.50 a pair for . . . \$11.00

## LADIES' RUBBERS—A large

supply of well shaped Rubbers; sizes 2 1/2 to 7; in Black only; medium and pointed toes, high and medium heels. Regular \$1.25 a pair. \$1.13 for . . . . . 26c.

## LADIES' RUBBER HEELS

The popular T.S. make, in Black and Tan in all sizes; can be adjusted without cement. Regular 30c. a pair for . . . . . 26c.

## Men's Boots.

30 pairs only Black Gun Metal Boots for Men; sizes 6 to 9; neat styles with Rubber heel and soles. Regular \$12.00 a pair for . . . . . \$10.80

## Men's Rubbers.

50 pairs extra low cut Rubbers; "Clog" brand. Just the right thing for Spring; sizes 6 to 9. Regular \$1.70. \$1.53 a pair for . . . . . \$1.53

## Stockings for Women and Children

## Ladies' Hose.

About 30 dozen pairs Black Stockings; all medium sizes; Wool and Cotton mixtures; Cashmere finish, fashioned leg, seamless feet, plain and 1 1/2 ribbed; fast colors. Regular 70c. pair for . . . . . 60c.

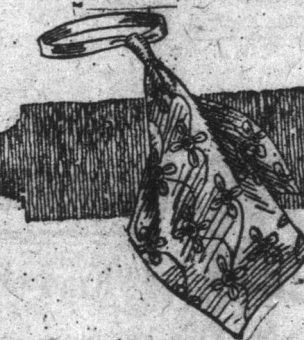
## Children's Hose.

All Wool Black Cashmere Hose; a very large assortment in sizes 4 and 6; double knees, spliced heels. Size 4. Regular \$1.20 a pair for . . . . . 95c.  
Size 6. Regular \$1.25 a pair for . . . . . 85c.

## Waterproof Haversacks

Strong, serviceable Haversacks, made of waterproof Khaki Drill; ideal for school books or for trout trips, with detachable . . . \$1.35

## Saving Chances for Men



Hundreds of men are fully convinced that the Royal Stores provides equally striking bargains for Men as for Women. We have good reason to know how quick they are to seize the opportunity offered to them in our adverts, and the knowledge acts as an incentive to us to provide yet more striking bargains for their benefit.

## Men's Ties.

A large selection of Wide End Ties, Mercerised finish; 7 dozen Silk Knitted Ties in an assortment of plain and fancy designs; narrow ends. Reg. \$2.25 each for . . . \$1.80

## Men's Velour Hats.

A limited number of these desirable Hats are available; shades of Brown, Fawn, Myrtle, Bronze, Navy and Black; sizes 6 1/2 to 7 1/2; good leather sweat bands, silk linings. Reg. \$14.00 each for . . . \$9.35

## New Spring Caps.

4 dozen nifty-looking Caps in light shades; best English Tweeds, 3/4 crowns, band at back; sizes 6 1/2 to 7 1/2. Reg. \$3.00 each for . . . . . \$2.40

## Special Showroom Values

## Tea Aprons.

Dainty White Muslin Tea Aprons in assorted designs; some are trimmed with embroidery; others with fine lace and insertion; hemstitched borders. Reg. \$1.40 each for . . . \$1.12

## Ladies' Camisoles.

In White Cambric, V neck, lace and embroidery trimmed; wings sleeves; finished with ribbon draw string; medium sizes. Reg. \$1.10 each for . . . 88c.

## Plaid Skirts.

A limited number of smart, fashionable walking Skirts; sizes 36 and 38 inch length; 24 to 30 inch waist; high waisted effects; fancy pockets, trimmed with . . . \$7.70

## Silk Ribbons.

100 yards Silk Ribbons in shades of Pale Blue, Saxe, Champagne and Pink; 4 1/2 inches wide; suitable for hair or . . . 80c.

## Ladies' Belts.

4 dozen Patent Leather Belts, in shades of Green, Grey, Brown and Black; 36 inches long and 1 1/2 inch wide; to wear with costumes and dresses. Reg. 60c. each for . . . . . 40c.

## Chiffon Frilling.

8 dozen yards beautiful neck and sleeve Frillings, in shades of Sky, Champagne, V Rose, Fawn, Black and White; 1 1/2 inches wide. Reg. 65c. yard for . . . 44c.

## Men's Gloves

5 dozen pairs Brown Suede Gloves, silk lined to finger tips; sizes 7 1/2 to 8 1/2. Regular \$4.00. \$3.20 a pair for . . . . . \$3.20

## The Royal Stores, Ltd.

## "The Irresistible Marmaduke."

The final performance of the "Irresistible Marmaduke" took place in the Casino Theatre last night, and as on the previous nights, a capacity audience greeted the performers. The comedy has been one of the best of its kind to come before the footlights in recent years and the players are deserving of every praise for the splendid amateur performance they have given the St. John's theatre going public. Last night's performance eclipsed all previous efforts, and their acting was highly appreciated. The songs by Mrs. F. J. King and Mr. Karl Trapnell were well received, both having to respond to several encores, whilst the dancing by the Mount Cashel boys was a feature of last night's entertainment. The proceeds of the several performances are in aid of Mount Cashel Orphanage and all who in any way contributed to the splendid success achieved, are to be complimented on the results of their efforts.

## Catholic Cadet Corps.

## ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION MEETING

On Tuesday night last the C.C.C. Athletic Association held a very enthusiastic meeting in their Armoury at which a great deal of important business was transacted. The President, Lt. J. M. Spearns, was in the chair. It was decided that the Cadets football team would again be in action this year and it is likely that much new material will line-up. The team this year will be strictly Cadet. There are some excellent players amongst the young blood of the Corps, and the team that takes first place from the Cadets this year will have no "cinch." During April there will be a big indoor Sports Night in the Armoury, when the public will be given an opportunity to witness an excellent programme of interesting events. The sports last year were not public, but all who had the pleasure of being present were unanimous in stating they were as good as the best. Some new and novel items will be introduced, and the Sports Committee are determined to leave nothing undone to make the night a tremendous success. Only three more games of Basketball remain to be played in the junior section and it looks as if the "Natives" and "Stars" will play off for championship honors. As yet the championship of the senior section is uncertain, but it is likely that the final games will be played off in the sports. The new gymnasium equipment will be in the Armoury Thursday night.

## Largely Attended Card Tourney.

The Holy Cross Extension Fund held an enjoyable card tournament in Holy Cross School last night which was very largely attended. Great interest was manifested in the games and the lucky winners were: 1st prize, one barrel flour, won by Frank Walsh; 2nd prize, one barrel flour, won by H. Jackman, won by Mrs. Johnston; large tub of butter, donated by Geo. Neal, Ltd., won by S. Griffin; one Dunhill pipe, donated by T. J. Rolfe, won by M. Horgan. To-night the Committee are holding their final entertainment of the week's series, and they promise their patrons the best night's enjoyment of the lot. In view of the worthy cause for which these events are being held, we bespeak for the promoters to-night a capacity audience.

## L. S. P. U. Reject Wage Scale.

An important special meeting of the L.S.P.U. was held in the Union Hall last night, President J. Flavin occupying the chair. A communication from the Employers' Association in which they notified the Union that beginning May 1st next, a reduction of wages would come into effect which would place the men on the same scale of wages as existed in 1919, was read and discussed. The meeting decided to reject the scale submitted by the employers. The Union takes the stand that they are satisfied to accept a reduction compatible with the reduction in the price of the necessities of life, but contended that the proposed reduction is altogether out of line with the general fall in prices. The Employers' Association will be notified of the Union's decision and further developments will be discussed, as they arise, at subsequent meetings.

## Llewellyn Club Concert and Smoker.

The regular monthly concert and smoker for the members of Llewellyn Club took place in Canon Wood Hall last night and proved a very enjoyable affair. A splendid programme of music and songs, etc., was given through the various numbers being well received. At the close the tea was served by the lady friends of the Club and the evening's entertainment brought to a fitting close.

Men's Fine Footwear, 25 PER CENT. OFF for cash at SMALL WOODS.—mar29,tt