

Municipal Council

WEEKLY MEETING.

The regular weekly meeting of the Council was held yesterday afternoon. Mayor Cook presided and Councillors Martin, Outerbridge, Vignacomb, Collier, Ryan and Dowden were present. The meeting was a very short one, routine matters only being discussed by the Board.

The Great War Veterans' Association applied for advertising matter in connection with their magazine, which will be given them.

H. G. Clarke called attention to the fact that those frequenting Burton's Pond for the purpose of enjoying outdoor exercise, skating, hockey, etc., are subjected to great annoyance by persons who pile snow to considerable heights when clearing space for a small skating rink of the ice, and preventing its use by others. As the pond is a question outside the city limits, the Council cannot interfere in the matter.

Messrs. Bowring Bros., Ltd., called attention to damage done one of their drays some months ago by a runaway horse belonging to the Council. The Sanitary Supervisor was asked to make inquiries and report.

The St. John's St. Railway Co. submitted statement to annual gross earnings for 1923, amounting to \$43,675.05.

The City Engineer reported on the work necessary to be done in connection with the repairing of motor truck and sprinklers, and putting same in order for the coming season. It was ordered that specifications be prepared, and tenders called for the work.

Attention was called to the fact that business people on Water St. have complained of annoyance caused them through smoke from chimneys of both Court House and Post Office buildings, and it was suggested that both chimneys be extended. The Colonial Secretary is to be written with a view, if possible, to remedying the cause of complaint.

A draft of proposed regulations for Motor Garages was tabled and was referred to Special Committee, who will give the matter consideration, and report back to the Council.

The Medical Officer of Health reported 21 new cases of Scarlet Fever in the city during the week, which is an increase of 7 cases over the previous week. At present there are in Hospital 58 cases, and 41 under treatment at home. Making a total of 99.

During the week, the Sanitary Staff took up their quarters in the new station, now completed. The various supplies etc., are thoroughly up-to-date and well finished, and the furniture is to be congratulated on having this new necessary work carried out. The old station was an annoyance to the public, unfit for occupation, and considerably depreciated the value of property in the immediate vicinity. The building contractors, Messrs. Bolger Bros., who gave satisfactory service and splendid workmanship, and the construction etc., was under the supervision of Architect Barker.

Within the past few days the Committee of Council appointed to consider the acquiring of land belonging to the Hamilton Estate, Casey St., situate the site and after due consideration, recommended the same be purchased. It was ordered accordingly.

Complaint was made that farmers are in the habit of depositing manure etc., on land west of Smye's Bridge, much to the annoyance of residents in that vicinity. It was ordered that the Department of Public Health be communicated with on the matter.

The condition of sidewalk fronting the premises of the British Import Company, Water St., was referred to the Sanitary Supervisor, who reported the same being dangerous to pedestrians. Although the occupants of the building carried out the law as regards removal of snow and ice, it was found that the smooth concrete face is very slippery in wet weather. The City Engineer was instructed to see what can be done in this matter.

Reports of the Plumbing Inspector, Sanitary Supervisor, etc., were read. Applications for the several Departments granted, and the meeting then adjourned.

Many people think that Crisco is expensive. It is not, when the excellent satisfaction it gives is considered. Crisco goes farther than cooking butter and keeps the pastry and cakes fresh for a longer time.

Week of Prayer

PROGRAMME FOR THE WEEK.

Friday, January 11th—Why I Believe in Immortality—Rev. R. E. Sullivan, Cochrane Street, 8 P.M.; and Rev. Dr. Darby, Wesley Church, 10 P.M.

Have you a Suit or Overcoat to make? We make a specialty of making up customers own coats at prices that are absolutely the lowest for first class work. ARRELL THE TAILOR, 310 WATER ST.—Nov 17/23

Extraordinary Values Offered

During this Great

At the Royal Stores

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

To clear out what is left of the broken lines and oddments of the Winter season's Goods, we have made tremendous price reductions on various lines of merchandise.

Beside the good values mentioned on this page, there are scores of others in lots or quantities too small to advertise. The only certain way to secure these wonderful bargains, is to come down to the store and pick them out.

Millinery at Clearing Prices

We have a quantity of Semi-Millinery Hats, which we have marked less than half price. These are assorted pretty colors, in close fitting and Bonnet shapes; also complete stock of Black Hats.

Reg. Price up to \$10.50
To clear \$4.50

Children's Hats.
In pretty Bonnet shapes, to fit 4 to 7 years; colors of Brown, Fawn, Navy, Cerise, Grey and Jade; trimmed with a plaited felt cord. Reg. \$1.00 each for 85c.

Ribbons.
Silk Taffeta and Satin Ribbons; 6 and 7 inches wide; in assorted Floral, Stripe and Fancy; suitable for Hair Ribbon and Millinery purposes. Reg. price up to \$1.50 per yard To clear 75c. per yard

Corded Ribbons.
Colors of Navy, Saxe and Black; 4 inches wide. Reg. price \$1.00 per yd. to clear 60c.

Smallware Bargains

Cloth Brushes.
Duck's Bill handle, hard black bristles. Reg. 90c. each for 72c.

Hair Brushes.
Solid back, hard black bristles. Reg. 45c. each for 37c.

Nail Brushes.
Hard black bristles and white bristles. Reg. 15c. each for 13c.

Kirk Olive Soap.
Moderately perfumed. Reg. 20c. per cake for 16c.

Pure Castile Soap.
Reg. 20c. per box for 18c.

Armours Combination, Soap and Talcum Powder.
Reg. 60c. per box for 50c.

Hudnutt's Talcum.
In Gardenia, Sweet Orchid, Violet Scent and Royal Hudnuttine. Reg. 40c. per tin for 34c.

Colgates Talcum.
Perfumed in Florient and Champane. Reg. 40c. per tin for 33c.

Royal Vinolia Tooth Paste.
Large size. Reg. 40c. per tube for 34c.

Men's & Women's Gloves at Clearance

Men's Gloves.
Heavy Tan Cape Kid; Wool lined throughout, all sizes. Ideal for Winter wear. Reg. \$2.40 pair for \$2.40

Women's Gloves.
Dent's Tan Kid; Wool lined throughout, 2 denier, all sizes. Reg. \$4.50 pair for \$2.75

Wool Gauntlets.
Women's Gauntlets, colors of Grey and Fawn; all sizes. Reg. \$1.20 pair for 99c.

Stamped Linens

Centres.
Made of White Union Linen; stamped in pretty designs, ready for working; size 18 x 15; suitable for crocheted or buttonhole edges. Reg. 80c. each for 26c.

Linen Centres.
All White Pure Linen; size 36 x 36; Applique design. Reg. \$2.00 each for \$1.69

Laundry Bags.
Made of White Crash Linen; size 26 x 17; stamped for working. Reg. \$1.90 each for 84c.

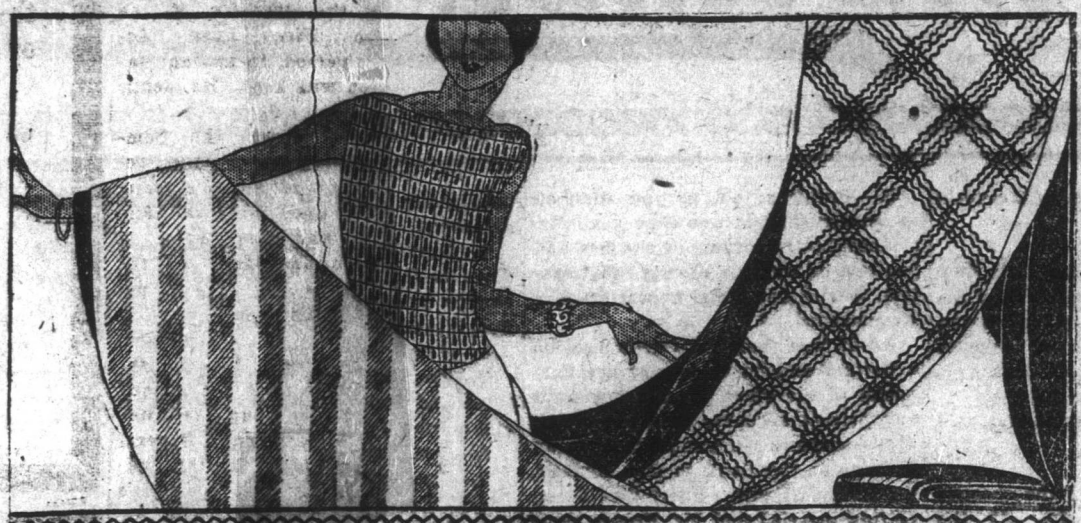
Pin Cushion Tops.
Size 12 x 22; made from White Union Linen stamped in pretty designs, ready for working. Reg. 25c. each for 21c.

Huck Towelling.
White, Linen finish, 16 inches wide. Reg. 35c. per yard for 31c.

Madapolam.
English manufacture, 36 inches wide; fine quality. Reg. 35c. per yard for 32c.

Curtains

Made of best quality Art Serge; in colors of Green and Grey; size 4 feet wide and 9 feet long. Reg. \$14.00 pair To clear \$9.00



Dress Goods at Clearing Prices

Bargain chances such as these only occur at rare intervals. This is an event that surpasses anything offered at this store for a considerable time. Hundreds of yards of Dress Goods and Coatings, offered at wonderful reductions. To realise the wonderful values of this sale, it is necessary for you to see the Goods, and you will secure your needs for present and future use.

Serge.
All Wool Serge in colors of Saxe, Green, Paoon, Fawn, Rose and Scarlet; 54 inches wide; formerly priced at \$7.00 per yard. To clear \$1.65

Coating Serge.
50 inches wide; in Black only; heavy weight; formerly priced at \$5.00 per yard. To clear \$1.10

Costume Tweed.
In assorted mixtures of Grey, Brown and Saxe; 50 inches wide. Reg. \$1.25 per yard. To clear \$1.10

Striped Skirting.
Wool Skirting, very smart and effective, assorted colors; with handsome Roman Oriental stripes in assorted shades, 56 inches wide. Reg. \$2.55 per yard. To clear \$1.65

Wool Plaids.
5 only pieces; in assorted designs and colorings; 40 inches wide. Reg. \$2.20 per yard. To clear \$1.65

Blanket Cloth.
The ideal coating; colors of Navy, Fawn, Grey, Putty, Paoon and Garnet; 54 inches wide. Reg. \$1.35 per yard for \$1.59

Sealette.
48 inches wide; of a very special quality, with an exceptionally heavy pile. Reg. \$12.75 per yard. To clear \$8.90

Jap Silk.
White Jap Silk; slightly soiled, 36 inches wide. Regular \$1.90 per yard. To clear \$1.20

Helio Silk.
Jap Silk; slightly faded on one end; 36 in. wide. Reg. \$1.95 per yd. To clear \$1.00

Specials from Our Men's Store

Men's Suits.
Men's Tweed Suits, in an assortment of Dark Mixed Tweeds, well tailored and extra good fitting. Sizes 36 to 44. Reg. \$18.50 per suit for \$13.80

Wool Scarves.
Men's pure Wool Scarves, in Grey, Brown and Fawn; striped ends, fringed. Reg. \$2.25 each for \$1.92

Men's Scarves.
Wool Scarves, in all the newest colors; fringed ends. Regular \$1.25 each for \$1.05

Heavy Wool Scarves.
In assorted colors, striped ends, fringed, extra heavy quality. Regular \$1.50 pair for \$1.57

Men's Socks.
All Wool Socks; in Black only; extra heavy quality, in ribbed, all sizes. Reg. 50c. pair for 45c.

Cashmere Socks.
Men's all Wool Cashmere Socks; plain, Blk. only; all sizes. Regular 80c. pair for 77c.

Showroom Clearance Bargains

Sweater Coats.
Women's heavy Knit Sweater Coats, buttoned front, with belt and pockets; colors of Beaver, Navy, Brown, Nigger and Peacock. Reg. \$9.00 each for \$6.79

Child's Sweater Coats.
To fit up to 12 years, in Rose only. Reg. \$2.20 each for \$2.20

Tricotee Smocks.
Colors of Navy, Saxe, Grey, Rose, Nigger and White; half sleeves, round neck, with girle. Reg. \$5.50 each for \$3.90

Tricotee Smocks.
Colors of Flesh, Rose, Grey, Peacock and White; round neck, half sleeves, with girle. Reg. \$3.85 each for \$3.30

Shirtwaists.
Made of Striped Flette, in assorted Light and Dark shades, two way collar. Reg. \$1.45 each for \$1.25

Serge Skirts.
Special quality; Accordeon plaited, Serge Skirts, colors of Grey, Saxe, Navy and Black; with fancy stripe effects, very stylish; sizes 32 to 36 length and 24 to 27 waist. Reg. \$3.75 each for \$3.40

Underskirts.
Made of Mofre, w P. H. Accordeon plaited, trim and draw string at waist, colors of Light Blue and Rose. Reg. \$4.35 each for \$2.10

Tulle Scarves.
Colors of Helma, Brown, Saxe and Navy; prettily embroidered with gold threads and silk. Reg. \$2.00 each. To clear \$1.50

Hosiery Values

Women's Hose.
Cashmere or Grey; colors of Grey, Coat-ing, Fawn, Champagne & Black; plain & assorted ribbs; fashioned seam less leg, double heels & toes; garter tops; sizes 8 & 9. Reg. 85c. pair for 76c.

Cashmere Hose.
Ribbed Cashmere Hose; shades of Covert, Coat-ing and Putty; fashioned ankle; spliced feet, elastic tops, sizes 8 1/2 to 10. Reg. \$1.25 pair for \$1.00

Women's Cashmere Hose.
Seamless fashioned leg, spliced feet, elastic tops, in assorted Green, Light and Dark Brown Heather mixtures; assorted ribbs, in sizes 8 to 10. Reg. \$1.50 pair for \$1.20

Misses' Hose.
Ribbed Cashmere Hose; in assorted Browns; sizes 8, 8 1/2 and 9; seamless fashioned ankle; double heels and toes; elastic tops; sizes 8 1/2 & 9. Regular 85c. pair for 72c. 8 1/2 Regular 90c. pair for 80c. 9 Regular \$1.00 pair for 80c.

School Supplies

SCHOOL BAGS—Black; all leather. Reg. \$1.85 each for \$1.15

SHILLING ARITHMETIC—Reg. 55c. ea. 45c.

KIRKLAND SCOTT ARITHMETIC—Reg. 75c. each for 65c.

NFLD. LITERATURE READERS—Numbers 4 and 5. No. 4. Reg. 50c. each for 49c. No. 5. Reg. 55c. each for 48c.

EAGLE SCRIBBLERS—Plain Special each 5c.

EXERCISE BOOKS—"Classical" Special each 6c.

COPY BOOKS—"Christian Brothers" Reg. 12c. each for 10c.

COPY BOOKS—Versé Foster's. Reg. 9c. ea. for 7c.

PENCIL ASSORTMENT—in a box containing 2 pencils, pen and rubber. Reg. 15c. each for 13c.

HANDICAP PENCILS—With Clip. Special each 6c.

BLOTTING PAPER—White and Pink. Special per dozen Sheets 12c.

Footwear

Women's Boots.
70 only pairs of Women's Boots, "Box Call; Vict. Gun Metal; in Black, Brown and Mahogany; medium and low heels, medium and round toes; sizes 3 to 8, not all sizes in one kind, but all sizes in the lot. Values from \$4.30 up to \$8.50 pair. To clear \$3.20

Felt Boots.
Women's Felt Boots, Balmoral style, rubber heels, round toes, sizes 4 to 8; very warm and comfortable. Regular \$3.20 pair for \$2.90

Men's Boots.
Black Kid Boots, Blucher and Balmoral style, wide fitting, sizes 6, 7 and 10 only; a very neat and stylish looking boot. Reg. \$5.35 pair for \$3.75

Ice Creepers.
For Women, fits between heel and sole of boot, with instep strap, you will need a pair before the Winter is over; get them now. Reg. 80c. pair for 16c.

Children's Wear

Sleepers.
Children's Striped Flette Sleepers; to fit ages 2, 4 and 6 years; button front, open at back, with pockets, 12 only Suits in this lot. Reg. 75c. per suit. To clear 45c. Reg. 85c. per suit. To clear 58c.

Waterproof Pants.
"Kleinert's" Waterproof Baby Pants, in medium and large sizes; special quality. Reg. 70c. pair for 60c. Reg. 80c. pair for 66c. Reg. 90c. pair for 70c.

Boys' Jerseys.
7 only Boys' Wool Jerseys, to fit up to 12 years; in Maroon only. Reg. price up to \$2.15. To clear \$1.40

Jersey Suits.
Boys' Wool Jersey Knit Suits; in combination shades of Navy and Blue, Navy and Green, Rose and Grey and Grey and White; to fit up to 12 years. Reg. \$3.75 suit. To clear \$2.50

Casement Cloth

42 inches wide; plain colors of Red, Green, Blue and Cream; with assorted fancy borders. Reg. \$1.00 per yard for 60c.

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