

#### START NOW! and Have the Joy of Flowers All Year

Blend the summer with the winter.

'Round.

Begin now and let Flowers help to carry the summer into your home this fall.

We can arrange your flower beds and boxes with flowers and plants that may be transplanted in fall into pots or indoor window boxes. Or, if you desire to buy the flowers and plants we quote attractive prices

And no matter what your wants are in Flowers and plants, call on us.

#### CUT FLOWER SPECIAL FOR THIS WEEK.

If you have a birthday of someone else to observe, an anniversary, or desire to make an always welcome gift of flowers, let us fill your order with

Roses.

# Gammage

## 300 COMING TO **CONVENTION OF** RED CROSS HERE

Many Outside Delegates Expected on Thursday.

LUNCHEON ARRANGED

Local Members Will Act as Hostesses to Out-of-Town Representatives.

Arrangements are rapidly being completed for the big Red Cross rally to be held in the city on Thursday of this week, the annual meeting of the London branch of the C. R. C. S. which, it is expected, will be attended by nearly 300 out-of-town delegates from various affiliated organizations in Western Ontario.

In order to obtain the best results possible, it was decided the end of the contact of the contact

week to extend the time for receiving donations for the luncheon and the names of local Red Cross members who desire to become to be a searched for the body of the elder broad and the conducted at the house at the desire to become hostesses of the oc- ther, while others brought Bruce and Mount Pleasant Cemetery. easion through the payment of a min mum sum of one dollar. One dollar will entitle a hostess to take two out-oftown guests to the luncheon which will be served at 1 o'clock in the Masonic anqueting hall, the Ladies' Aid of the undertaken the big task of catering for Members of Hospital Trust Pleased

Mrs. A. E. Cooper, whose telephone

Reports are being limited to three pleased with it, particularly as it is given at the request of the city coun-An outstanding feature will be the election of officers, and it is understood that important changes will take the request of the city council, and by a physician who never before made an inspection."

The other fruction of the city council a caterer. mportant changes will take place in selves as delighted with it.

ganization of the branch, have stated that they are not all mind they are not all mind they are not all mind they are not all minds and they are not all minds are not all minds and they are not all minds are no that they are not allowing their names ent Heard showed that there were 291 cific Railway. the fact that they consider a change in

Clouston at St. Anne de Bellevue, Quebec, will return home in time to preside. deaths and 27 births. The number of patients in Victoria on July 31 was 143. and several other members of the

#### esorts for the meeting. BREAD TO BE BOOSTED TO GALT CONSUMERS Heard.

[Special to The Advertiser.] time the bakers of Galt will advance Hearing Postponed Again Because of half loaf, which is now selling for



BEACHVILLE MAN FINED vanced years. 50 cents a box, all



# TREACHEROUS COVE CLAIMS

Young Medical Student Drowned and Brother, Companion and Soldier Have Close Calls for Life in Attempted Rescue.

claimed another victim last night, and Tital. to the south of the rifle ranges.

Parsons, 20, is in serious condition, and John Bruce, 156 Langarth street, and Orummer Jack Clarke of the 153rd Bat-alion Bugle Band had close calls for heir lives. Bruce is still feeling the the battalion hospital at the Cove Camp in serious condition from cramps.

The two Parsons boys and Bruce

vent down together after Stewart Par-Body In Water an Hour,

unced life extinct at 10:30 o'clock. were presen

sent Parsons to his death. With his brother. Bruce, T. Wilcox of 151 Langarth street and Leonard Howlett, son of W. G. Howlett of 140 Langarth the bedy agnet to the copies at the copie

Warned Against Weeds. Once in the water a game of "tag" ras started. In attempting to escape from his brother, who had been tagged, Eric swam into what is known as the With swift overhand "channel." With swift overhand strokes Stewart followed. John Bruce which Lieut. Williams located the body was close to the shore and, according of the drowned youth. Months of traino his own story, called for Eric to ing at the coves and daily swims in the

eeds there," called Bruce, and a mo-lous "mud hole." His second dive located ent later he was swimming after the the body.

brothers.

As the echo of the shout was coming back from the hills Stewart suddenly threw up his hands. His brother, who had turned at Bruce's cry, swam to his side and reached him at about the same time as Bruce. With a frantic clutch the elder brother seized Eric by the shoulder and the two went under. Bruce dove for the brothers and succeeded in grasping the shoulders of Stewart. He endeavored to bring them in, but the clutch of the drowning youth encircled him also and he too went under. Coming to the surface he found himself grasping Eric and then commenced the battle for the shore.

"I touched him with my hand, and felt the weeds around his legs," said the officer to The Advertiser. "There was a cold spring down there that would give anyone cramps if they stayed in the water for any length of time.

One soldier lost a watch from the raft, while others lost parts of their clothing and equipment.

Stewart Parsons, the drowned boy, was a first-year student in medicine at Western University, and was, during the vacation, working at the Holeproof Hosiery Company.

The younger brother is a teller in the South London branch of the Merchants' Bank.

celpts were \$4,667.87.

M. Gartshore, E. C. Mitchell, S. Screa-

INQUEST ADJOURNED

Absence of Witnesses.

Owing to the absence of two im

portant witnesses the Tripp inquest

next Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

of several witnesses was taken.

as re-adjourned last evening unti

The hearing was called by Coroner Maclaren to look into the circumstances surrounding the death of Mrs.

J. Tripp, who died following an

Treacherous waters of the Cove the younger boy to the battalion hos-

Lieut. Williams Gets Body. came close to adding three others to the ever-lengthening death roll that has on leave to bring his wife and family been marked against the murky waters heard of the accident at his home on o the south of the rifle ranges.

Askin street, and immediately went Stewart Parsons, 21, 148 Langarth the cove. Within a few minutes from street, was drowned; his brother, Eric the time he went in he found the body hands folded above the head and wit ew minutes the body had been brought to the bank and the pulmotor, directed by Fire Chief Aitken, started. Its efworked for more than an hour proved

Soldiers Search for Body. sons became entangled in the weeds.
Herculean efforts on their own behalf brought Bruce and the younger Parsons cated the body. No one seemed to know to shore, where the latter collapsed. who the drowned boy was, and it was soldier, who went to the rescue at first believed that he was a memhe drowning youth, took cramps, ber of the 153rd. Stripping themselves was brought to shore. swam and dived in all parts of the For more than an hour firemen, mem-ters of the battalion stretcher-bearers' of the accident, and the way they afion and soldiers worked over the open stewards turned in and helped in the resuscitation attempts brought the ert Ferguson, coroner, who was called, highest commendation from those who

The body had been in the water close
to an hour before it was recovered by Lieut. J. L. Williams, who has been both shores, and the powerful headlight attached to the 153rd as a musketry in- of Fire Chief Aitken's runabout and his heavy car in which grappling irons An innocent game of water "tag" had been rushed to the scene, the sol-

street, he had gone to the coves at naked bodies of the soldiers presented dusk for a "dip" following a game of a weird picture with the heavy wooded banks to the south of the cove showing up as a background. Hundreds of solers congregated on the banks, ready to lend any assistance in their power t willing workers on the shore below.

Located at Second Attempt. water there have familiarized him with the various "channels" of the treacher-

"I touched him with my hand, and felt

commenced the battle for the shore.

Collapse at Shore.

Chants' Bank.

The two boys were the only sons of

## ROTARY CLUB PICNIC

Outing Takes Place Tomorrow at White's Farm.

The picnic of the London Rotary Club With Result of Inspection. tomorrow, promises to be a great suc-The report of Dr. Helen MacMurchy, number is \$50, is looking after the tak- inspector of hospitals, was received by ed. The members of the club and their ing of names and donations of local Red Cross workers who purpose attending the luncheon. She will appreciate receiving communications from prospective hostesses as early as possible.

The document and filed for reference. The document was most flattering in its statements relative to the management of this institution.

One of the city merchants will send sharp, as it is desired to compass during the afternoon the great mass of business which lies before the meeting.

Reports are being limited.

This should be most satisfactory to you, gentlemen," said Lieut.-Col. W. M. Gartshore, the chairman. "It is an effective answer to all criticisms. I am leased with it contained to each, good for a certain value at his store. "This should be most satisfactory to

## The other trustees expressed them-

Mrs. E. C. Bowker and Mrs. George
T. Brown, who have proved so efficient in the respective of the state of J. B. Smallman that a gift of stack in the Smallman that a gift of stock in the Smallman & in the great work of harvesting the in the respective offices of correspond-Ingram Company had been left to the Western crop. The task of transporting to the West this great army of workers The monthly report of Supterintend- will fall to the lot of the Canadian Pa-

patients admitted during the month of July, 93 males, 118 females and 80 Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta the best interests of the society and because of pressure of other duties.

Lady Beck, who is visiting Lady

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Mainton, Savatactural Manual Mainton, Substitute and Social trains operated, will be run, and special trains operated, making the trip in about 36 hours, without change or transfer. "Going Trip West," \$12 to Winnipeg.

"Returning Trip East," \$18 from Win-During the month 144 had been treated nipeg.

at the outdoor clinic. The cash reConsult C. P. R. agents regarding

Those present were Lieut.-Col. W. transportation west of Winnipeg. ton, J. W. Laidlaw and Superintendent Line 31st—From Toronto-Sudbur Line and East, but not including from Main Line East of Sudbury to, but not including, North Bay.

> West and South thereof.
> Further particulars from Canadian
> Pacific Ticket Agents, or W. B. Howard, district passenger agent, Toronto. 27-vwt-Sept.1

#### Use Cocoanut Oil

For Washing Hair

tomobile accident on August 9th, at If you want to keep your hair in he corner of Market Lane and Dundas good condition, be careful what you

reets.
Mrs. Tripp was crossing Dundas Dundas Don't use prepared shampoos or any Mrs. Tripp was crossing Dundas street when she was struck by a small roadster, driven by Vincent Colgan of 566 Talbot street, and died one hour later after her removal to Victoria Just plain mulsified cocoanut oil Hospital. (which is pure and entirely greaseless). is much better than anything else you day, August 14th, when the evidence can use for shampooing, as this can't possibly injure the hair.

and rub it in. One or two teaspoon fuls will make an abundance of rich WOODSTOCK, Aug. 21.—In police creamy lather, and cleanses the hair ourt today, Fred Lowes of Beachville and scalp thoroughly. The lather was fined \$5 and costs for cruelty to rinses out easily, and removes every animals. Lowes was accused of leaving particle of dust dirt, dandruff and ex horse in a field for a day or two cessive oil. The hair dries quickly and it leaves it fine and silky. ne animal was said to be in such a bright, fluffy and easy to manage

or and the ground.

A Norwich baker was assessed \$9.65 and a few ounces is enough to last or offering for sale bread that was not everyone in the family for months.-

# Smallman & Ingram's List For Wednesday Morning

Tomorrow, Store Opens

8:30, Closes 1 p.m.

\$1.39 EACH, BEDSPREADS.

50 fine quality and patterns, Large-Size White

Crochet Bedspreads. These are worth today con-

siderably more than the regular price of \$1.65.

Tomorrow your choice for ...... \$1.19 each

BUNGALOW NETS, REGULAR UP TO 350

YARD, FOR 19c YARD.

About 200 yards in the lot, good patterns, suit-

able for living, dining room or kitchen curtains,

in either ecru or ivory shades. Tomorrow morn-

ing ...... 19c yard

LADIES' FRENCH FASHION GOWNS, \$1.19

White

Crochet

and Bun-

Bedspreads

Igalow Nets

WEDNESDAY.

SPECIALS

FOURTH

FOR



## \$1 Aluminum Saucepans for 69c

IN THE BASEMENT.

The first 50 customers here tomorrow morning will get these 21/2-quart best Wear-Ever Aluminum Saucepans that sold regularly at \$1.00 each. For ...... 69c each

EVER-READY CLOTHESLINE REELS," 39c EACH.

Just 50 of these convenient lines, for indoor use as well as outside, can be attached across the room to any distance up to 36 feet; stout braided cord winds up on encased reel dustproof metal cabinet; regular 60c each. Wednesday morning.. 39c each

25c TO 50c FLOWERED VOILES, 121/2c YARD. Your attention is particularly called to the quantity of these on sale, about 250 yards, which comprise 38-inch White Rice Voiles with printed colored floral patterns in light blue, rose, maise, helio, also Fancy Voiles, 27 inches wide, in navy and white, blue and white, helio and black, stripe and floral pattern combinations; sold regularly from 25c to 50c yard, and as the quantity is not nearly so great as previous sales, you'll have to be here on time, as this small lot will not last long. Your 

## Kimono Materials

Regular 18c to 25c Yard, for 11c Yard. See Window Display.

A large range in Wrapperette Kimono Cloths, Printed Flannelettes, etc., in the various colors and weights for fall and winter use. These lines have been taken from our regular stock, and sold regularly at 18c, 20c and 25c yard. Lay in your supply Wednesday morning at ..... 11c yard



#### 200 YARDS WHITE FLANNELETTE, EIGHT YARDS FOR \$1.00.

This is exceptional value at the regular price of 15c yard. For Wednesday only, 200 yards will go on sale at ...... 8 yards for \$1.00

15c VALUE IN WHITE COTTON FOR 91/26 YD. A limited quantity of our regular stock Queen's Quality cloth, one of the most desirable cottons for general purposes. To make sure of sharing in

#### \$3.00 FANCY PARASOLS FOR \$1.50.

Every Parasol in fancy styles is reduced to half price. It will pay you to lay one aside for another season while you are able to procure good, reliable parasols at half price. Here is just one picked from the scores to be had, in grey and white, black and white color combinations, also tan, mauve, blue, brown, green, purple; choice of four shapes—bell, pagoda, d me and standard; sold regularly at \$3.00 each. Now for half price ...... \$1.50 each

NEW IVORY BUD VASES, 35c EACH. Novelties in two dainty styles in round and oblong shapes, just 36. To sell Wednesday morning at

GENUINE CALIFORNIA ROSE BEADS, 50c

STRING WEDNESDAY MORNING. The real rose beads, in delicate shades of mauve,

rose, blue and white, strung with pearl and gold beads intersecting. Wednesday morning 50c string STAMPED WHITE PILLOW CASES, 19c EACH

At Art Department, Main Floor. Twelve dozen Pillow Cases, good quality cotton, hemstitched hem, stamped in assorted designs; 40 inch size. Only, special ..... 19c each

CHILDREN'S STAMPED DRESSES 19c EACH. Your choice of white, blue or tan; sizes 1, 2, 3 and 4 years; six dozen only to sell; assorted designs, stamped. Wednesday special ..........19c each

## Ivory Soap, 6 Cakes for 25c

The use of Ivory Soap in hospitals throughout the States is scientific proof that no purer soap can be made. To you this means that Ivory Soap cleanses not only pleasantly but so thoroughly as to produce an asceptic condition which is cleanliness at its best.

NOTE.—A piece of ivory soap, 11/2x11/2 inches, dissolved in a gallon of water, makes a one per cent solution which is excellent for sterilizing articles in the home.

Tomorrow's sale will be limited to four cases, at Don't be late.

PRICE.

Main Floor, Centre Aisle.

EACH, SECOND FLOOR. Just five dozen of these Nightgowns, beautifully styled, tiny scalloped neck and sleeves, with pretty spray embroidered on front and sleeves, ribbon gathering at neek; sizes 56, 58 and 60. Special ...... \$1.19

#### COTTON CHALLIE KIMONOS, 59c. Second Floor.

Sixty neat Empire Style Kimonos, piped, V-shap neck and cuffs, finished with banding to harmonize, assorted colors; sizes 34 to 42. Special Wed.

#### \$1.75 WHITE SKIRTS TO CLEAR AT 98c. Second Floor.

One table in a variety of styles, comprising cotton materials in repp, pique and gabardine, some with belts, pockets, others plain; waistband sizes 23 to 30. Tomorrow your choice......98c each



Rarely do you strike an opportunity such as this The rug stock has been weeded of a few odd and slightly-soiled imported Brussels Rugs, mostly light colors; a splendid assortment of patterns, every one of best old stock, fully guaranteed quality, at big clearing reduction price off the old prices, as follows:

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Size 9x12, worth \$35.00, for	. 910.00
Size 9x12, worth \$32.50, for	.\$17.50
Size 9x12, worth \$30.00, for	.\$16.00
Size 9x10.6, worth \$34.00, for	.\$18.00
Size 9x10.6, worth \$26.00, for	.\$13.75
Size 9x10.6, worth \$22.50, for	.\$12.75
Size 9x9, worth \$24.00, for	.\$14.50
Size 9x9, worth \$22.00, for	.\$12.50

## Linen Motor Coats for Men and Women

REGULAR \$7.50, \$7.75 AND \$8.50. HALF PRICE \$3.75, \$3.87 AND \$4.25.

Wednesday morning in Men's Dept., Main Floor.

Don't come late for these, as you may be disappointed. There are eighteen only to clear tomorrow, Linen Motor Coats, from our, regular stock; styles are full length, belted, Raglan sleeves. Half price means ......\$3.75, \$3.87 and \$4.25 each

GET A FEW MORE HAIR RIBBONS FOR THE GIRLS' SCHOOL WEAR. WEDNESDAY MORNING, 5c YARD. Main Floor.

250 yards of Plain Taffeta Ribbons, two inches wide, in shades of pink, pale blue, cream, may ve, purple, rose, navy, alice, red, paddy, brown, yellow; regular 121/2c yard. Wednesday morning ..... 5c yard

125 YARDS PLAIN TAFFETA RIBBONS, 5c YD. 11/2 inches wide, in shades of rose, navy, red, yellow, purple, cream, pale blue and pink; regular 8½c yard. Wednerday morning .......5c yard

LADIES' \$1.50 MOROCCO BAGS, 89c EACH. Sixteen only, with safety clasp, also mirror and coin purse fitting included. Special to clear ...... 89c each

LADIES' \$1.50 SILK POPLIN BAGE, 89c. Smart styles, two color combinations in green and white, copen and white, black and rose, black and copen, black and white, mirror and coin purse attachment included. Special to clear .. 89c each HAIR NETS, 3 FOR 25c, WEDNESDAY A.M.

cornered shape, in colors blonde, light, medium and dark browns, also black. Special Wednesday morning ...... 3 for 25c Infants' and Kiddies' Fancy Socks

S. & I. Special Nets, real human hair, three-

SECOND FLOOR. One lot to clear in sizes up to three years, not over; styles in fancy tops, colors in pink, baby blue and white; regular prices 20e to 50e. Wed-

KIDDIES' RUNNERS AND RUBBER-SOLE SANDALS, 39c PAIR.

All small sizes for the tiny tots. Your choice of Rubber-Sole Sandals or Runners, in white, tan and navy. Wednesday morning...... 39c pair



WEDNESDAY MORNING, SECOND FLOOR.

You'll want one of these pretty Blouses when you see them. This is one of the best waist specials at or near this price placed on sale this season. All are made of extra fine quality white voile, with pretty embroidered design down each side of front, V-shape neck, three-quarter sleeves finished with neat turn-back cuff, trimmed with row of double hemstitching and edged with lace; the collar is of organdy trimmed with hemstitching and lace; pointed hemstitched yoke in back brought over shoulder and hemstitched to front in pointed yoke effect; sizes 34 to 44. Special for .....\$1.19 each Wednesday morning .....

Clearing Out Broken Lines in Ladies' Silk Coats and Awning Stripe Skirts

SECOND FLOOR. LADIES' TAFFETA SILK COATS FOR \$12.50 -Three-quarter lengths, lined and half lined egular \$25.00 to \$30.00. For .....\$12.50 each MIDDY STYLE RAW SILK DRESSES—A few odd lines in middy with sash combination, plain and stripe, colors of rose, blue, green and mauve; Regular \$20.00, for ......\$12.50 Regular \$15.00 for ......\$6.95

AWNING STRIPE SKIRTS, \$3.95 EACH. A few broken assortments in grey, green and rose stripes; regular \$6.50 and \$7.50. For Wednesday morning at ......\$3.95 each



These Silks Will Be Sold on Wednesday Only at These Special Prices

FRENCH SILK CREPE DE CHINE, \$1.25 YARD This is not an ordinary quality Crepe de Chine, but of the extra fine grade French makes, super weave, pure silk, perfect wash quality, one of the daintiest fabrics for dresses and waists. Your choice of ivory, black, rose, flesh pink, maize; 40 inches wide. For Wednesday only at \$1.25 yard YARD HABUTAI WHITE WASH SILK, WED-

NESDAY ONLY 45c YARD. For the one morning only, 250 yards of fine pure silk quality Habutai, for ladies' and children's blouses, dresses and underwear, full yard wide. For ...... 45c yard

BLACK YARD-WIDE DRESS SILK, 98c YARD. It's some time since you had an opportunity to buy a silk in black at this low price. Tomorrow morning, two pieces only at this price ... 98c yard WEDNESDAY MORNING WILL BE A GCOD TIME TO BUY PAINTS AND ENAMELS.

Third Floor. S. & I. Ready-Mixed Paints, pure linseed oil, for interior and exterior use, made from the very best and most lasting pigments, combined with pure oil and dryers; forty colors to select from: Pint cans ..... 39

SPECIAL INTERIOR VARNISH. Quarts ...... 49c. | Pints ..., 29c S. & I. SPECIAL GLOSS ENAMEL. Regular 50c pint tins for ......39c Regular \$1.00 quart tins for......69c SEMI-FLAT WHITE UNDER COATING, special

..... 59c quart tins Afternoon in Restaurant-Cream Cheese with Pimen-

to Sandwich, Assorted Cut Cake, Cup of Tea or Cof-

EVERY FANCY PARASOL IN STOCK AT HALF fee, 15c. 

LAMBETH. LAMBETH, Aug. 21.-Mrs. A. Neal Milne.

Mrs. James Adams motored to Dresden will take place Tuesday, August 22, to and friends.

the week-end with Mrs. William, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dores, Mr. and after a lingering illness. The funeral Nairn, and a large number of relatives

to the required standard weight. | advt. MILITARY NEWS WILL BE FOUND ON PAGE FOUR

turned on Friday from Sauble Falls Mrs. Tulley of London and Miss to visit friends on Saturday. where she has been holidaying for the vast month.

Cecil Mann of London spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Maurice Hooper.

Miss Nellie Graham of London spent for the West to help with the harvest.

Nairn Cemetery. The services will be TWENTY LEAVE AILSA CRAIG.