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THE ROBERT

SIMPSON

COMPANY, LIMITED

PROBABILITIES.  
Strong easterly winds; cloudy; followed by rain; becoming milder.

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Thursday  
April 29.

Linens and Staples

140 only Bleached Satin Damask Table Cloth, fine weave and good weight, assorted designs, with border all round, about 2 x 2 1-2 yards. Each, Friday, \$1.00.

Also 100 dozen Satin Damask Table Napkins, full bleached, every thread linen, hemmed ready for use, dainty bordered designs, 18 x 18 inches. Per dozen, Friday, \$1.09.

900 yards Bleached English Cotton, strong, round, close, firm thread, no dressing, a splendid general household cotton, yard wide. Per yard, Friday, 7c.

20 dozen only Hemmed Tea Towels, red or blue checks, every Irish make, no lint, 23 x 32 inches. Each, Friday, 9 1-2c.

520 yards Heavy Unbleached Sheeting, will weave, firm, perfect bleaching sheetings, 9-4 or 80 inches wide. Per yard, Friday, 19c.

100 only Pillow Shams, spoke hemstitched all around, also row of fine drawn work, 30x30 inches. Clearing, each, Friday, 35c.

145 White Crochet Quilts, hemmed ready for use, fine quality and good designs, but bought as "seconds" because of some very slight imperfection in weave or finish, full double bed size, at, each, Friday, 97c.

Curtains

300 pairs of Nottingham Lace Curtains, 50 and 54 inch wide. Friday bargain, per pair, 79c.

Frilled Curtain Net, 36 inch wide, finished with lace and insertion. Regular 25c. Friday, per yard, 15c.

200 Curtain Stretchers, complete with fixtures and non-rusting pins. Regular \$1.50. Friday, each, 98c.

500 Window Shades, made of oil opaque cloth, and mounted on spring rollers, cream, green and terra. Regular 40c. Friday, each, 25c.

100 only Hammock and Canoe Cushions, filled with Russia down, and covered with cretonnes, satens, tapestries, etc. Worth from \$1.25 to \$2.50. Friday, each, 89c. (Curtain Dept., 4th Floor.)

Furniture Department

70 Arm Rocking Chairs, quartered oak or birch mahogany, lovely designs, spring seats and padded backs, upholstered in fine quality imitation leather. Regular \$6.50. Friday bargain, \$5.00.

100 Iron and Brass Bedsteads, white enamel finish, handsome design, with brass top rail, spindles, vases and caps, heavy posts and fillers, extended foot end, all widths. Regular \$6.50. Friday bargain, \$4.00.

15 sets Dining Chairs, quartered oak frames, full box seats, well-braced legs, back and seat upholstered in genuine leather, in sets of one arm and five small chairs. Regular \$48.00. Friday bargain, \$30.00.

20 Den or Library Tables, quartered oak, golden, richly polished, massive colonial design, top 36 inches diameter. Regular \$21. Friday bargain, \$9.75.

Toys and Games

Teddy Bears. Regular \$1.50. Friday, \$1.15.

Rocking Horses. Regular \$3.75. Friday, \$2.49.

Children's Garden Sets, rake and shovel. Friday, 7c.

Game of Diabolo. Regular 29c and 39c. Friday, 19c.

Colored Rubber Balls. Regular 15c. Friday, 12c. Regular 13c. Friday, 9c.

Girls' Bats. Regular 5c. Friday, 3c.

Groceries for Bargain Day

Choice Family Flour, 1-4 bag, 65c.

Amalia Currants, cleaned, 3 1-2 lbs., 25c.

Finest Valencia Raisins, 4 lbs., 25c.

Yellow Cooking Sugar Crystals, 10 1-2 lbs. 50c.

4000 tins Canned Tomatoes, Farmer Brand, per tin, 7c. Only six tins to customer.

New Orleans Molasses, 2-lb., tin, 10c.

Canned Blueberries, Eagle Brand, three tins 25c.

2000 lbs. Choice Rangoon Rice, 7 lbs. 25c.

Pearl Tapioca, 5 lbs. 25c.

Fancy Evaporated Peaches, 2 lbs. 22c.

Choice Pink Salmon, Salad Brand, per tin, 10c.

Bluebell Jelly Powder, assorted flavors, four packages 25c.

Half ton Ceylon Pekoe Souchong Tea. Friday, black or mixed, 2 1-2 lbs. 50c.

Elevators by the West.  
OTTAWA, April 28.—A deputation representing the Western Grain Growers' Association waited on Sir Richard Cartwright this morning and presented a petition signed by 10,000 Manitoba farmers asking the government to take over all the terminal and transfer elevators between Port Arthur and the Atlantic Coast. The matter will be further discussed on Monday next, when representatives of the Dominion Millers' Association will be present.

Imperative Needs Versus Available Means

"I SIMPLY must have a new suit," says Margaret. "Last year's styles and the styles for this spring are different entirely."  
"I simply must have new boots," says Harry. "These are done—absolutely."  
"I simply must get my bicycle fixed," says Jack. "I am wasting all my money on carfare."  
"I simply must have this house painted," says Dad. "It will fall to pieces soon if I don't."

And all the while YOU know that there are a score of needs more pressing than any of these—New Curtains, Wall Papering, Spring Underwear, Housecleaning, Plants for the Garden, etc., etc., etc., to say nothing of your own wardrobe. How are all these crying wants to be satisfied on one small income? That's the problem of the season, and there is only one solution—by cutting down staple expenses.  
How? By every means you can think of. Bargain Day is one great help. To-morrow is Bargain Day in this big helpful store. Here you have our pageful of economies:

Women's Raincoats for \$9.75

Women's Raincoats, of fine quality fawn cravenette and fawn and Oxford rubber-lined cravenette; made full length; some plain, others trimmed with strappings; some have coat collars, others deep storm collar, fancy pockets, turned back cuffs. Only 55 coats in the lot. Regular \$12.00. Friday, \$9.75.

Women's \$12.50 Suits for \$5.95

78 only Women's Suits, oddments, early spring styles, of diagonal serges, French Venetians and broadcloth finished cloths, some navy and brown, but mostly black; coats are long and medium lengths; some plain tailored, others trimmed, flare gore skirts, some trimmed with buttons. Only 32, 34 and 36 sizes. Regular \$10.00 and \$12.50. Friday, \$5.95.

250 Separate Skirts for \$1.98

250 Women's Separate Skirts, of mid and light grey tweeds, in check or striped effects, black, navy, brown and cream lustrous, navy and black vicuna, made in a number of pleated or flare gore styles and trimmed with buttons, strapping or folds. Regular \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00 and \$5.50. Friday \$1.98. (No phone or mail orders accepted)

Sateen Skirts at 98c.

English Imported Sateen, with brilliant soft finish, in black only; handsome frills and ruffles, various styles in the lot. Regular values \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.00. We shall clear the lot on Friday at 98c.

Girls' Dresses for 79c

Printed Muslin, with navy hairline stripe, has gathered skirts, blouse part trimmed with navy strappings; collar and cuffs finished with lace. Sizes are 10, 12 and 14 years. Regular \$1.50. Friday, 79c.

A Big List of Footwear Bargains

500 pairs of Men's Boots, Goodyear welted, heavy solid oak bark tanned soles; Blucher and lace styles; tan, Russia calf, Dongola kid and box-calf leathers; all sizes 5 1-2 to 11. Regular values \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00. Friday bargain, \$2.49.

100 pairs only of Men's Dongola Blucher Boots, all sizes 6 to 11. Regular \$2.00. Friday bargain, 8 to 8.30 a.m. only, 99c. (Only one pair to each customer.)

500 pairs of Men's Oxfords, tan Russia calf, vici kid, box calf and patent cow leathers; Blucher lace and Blucher ring tie styles; Goodyear welted; all sizes 6 to 11. Regular value \$4.00 and \$4.50. A special purchase from a large Montreal factory. Friday bargain, all one price, \$2.49.

Children's and Misses' Instep Strap Slippers, black vici kid, flexible soles; sizes 11 to 2 and 8 to 10 1-2. Friday bargain, 99c.

Children's Boots, Dongola, Blucher, heavy sole, 8 to 10 1-2. Friday bargain, 99c.

Women's \$7.00 Dresses for \$3.95

A collection of New York Dresses, made in princess and jumper styles, of mauve and sky linen, and white linen, with green, black, sky or mauve stripes; waists are tucked, skirts trimmed with folds; not all colors in each style, but all in the lot. Regular prices \$5.00, \$6.00, \$6.50, \$7.00 and \$8.00. Friday, \$3.95.

Girls' Dresses

Slightly Soiled White Dresses for Girls, ages 10 to 14 years, white lawn and mull dresses, several different styles, trimmed with laces and insertions, and embroidery in various forms. Regularly \$1.95, \$2.50 and \$3.00. Friday, \$1.49.

Fine White Lawns and Batistes, different styles, trimmed in a variety of ways with fine laces and embroideries. Regularly \$3.00, \$4.00 and \$5.00. Friday, \$1.49.

Two Lots of Waists

Both white. Regular \$1.25 to \$2.25 Waists, of white lawn and mull, slightly counter mused, hundreds of designs, all sizes, 98c.

Regular \$2.50 to \$4.50 white lawns, mulls, batistes, Swisses, muslins, vestings, lincens, etc., slightly mused. All sizes, \$1.95.

Counter-Soiled Infants' Wear

Comprising Coats, Dresses, Skirts, Slips, Robes, Barrowcoats, in fact, everything necessary for baby's outfitting, all are taken from our regular stock. Only one or two garments of a kind. Friday bargain, half-price.

Corset Bargain

Clearing 150 pairs Ladies' High-grade Corsets, P.D., F.P. Warner's, C.C., C.B. and Jewel models. Not all sizes in any one style, but sizes 20 to 30 inches in the lot. Regular values \$2.50 to \$3.50. Friday bargain, \$1.25.

Women's and Children's Underwear

Ladies' Vests, fine ribbed cotton, low neck, with short or no sleeves. Sizes 32 to 38 bust. Regular value 15c. Friday bargain, 10c.

Ladies' Vests and Drawers, fine spring weight, white ribbed cotton, shaped body, long or short sleeves. Drawers are tight fitting, knee length. Sizes 32 to 38 bust. Regular value 35c. Friday bargain, 25c.

Children's Vests, fine ribbed white wool and cotton mixture, short sleeves, closed front. Sizes for 2 to 10 years. Regular value 35c to 50c. Friday bargain, 19c.

Infants' Vests, fine ribbed white wool and cotton mixture, short sleeves, with closed front, or Brownie style. Sizes 3 to 12 months. Regular values 15c to 30c. Friday bargain, 10c.

Counter-Soiled Whitewear

Clearing about 300 pieces Ladies' Whitewear, including Gowns, Drawers, Corset Covers, Skirts, Chemises, Aprons. Every piece is taken from our regular stock, and we can guarantee the materials, cut, size and sewing in every garment. All sizes in the lot. Friday bargain, half-price.

Children's Wear

Rompers, cover all other clothing. Sizes 1 to 6 years. Regular value 35c. Friday bargain, 25c.

Rompers, Sizes 2, 4, 6 years. Regular value 50c. Friday bargain, 35c.

Pinafores, fine sheer lawn. Sizes 2 to 12 years. Regular value 70c to 95c. Friday bargain, 45c.

Girls' Dresses, plain zephyrs, navy, sky or pink, box pleats, pipings of white pique. Sizes 6, 8, 10 years. Regular value \$2.00. Friday bargain, \$1.25.

Girls' Dresses, fine sheer lawn, French Val. lace. Sizes 6, 8, 10 years. Regular value \$2.75. Friday bargain, \$2.00.

Girls' Dresses, jumper style, fine lawn, strapping of gingham, guinge of lawn, with embroidery insertion. Another style of zephyr, V-shaped neck. Sizes 6, 8, 10 years. Regular value \$3.00. Friday bargain \$2.00.

Misses' Tub Dresses

Two-piece Dresses, of white percaline, with black broken hairline stripe; tailored shirt waist, tucked and pleated front, trimmed with wide embroidery back and front; finished with white linen collars and cuffs; full skirt, trimmed clusters of tucks, finished with deep hem. Regular \$4.50, for \$2.95 Friday.

Gloves and Hosiery

Women's Finest Quality Lisle Thread Hose, full fashioned, tan and black, spliced heel and toe, 35c quality. Special for Friday 29c.

Women's Spring Weight Black Cashmere Hose, seamless, good wearing yarn, 2-ply heel and toe. Extra value Friday, 20c.

Women's Cotton Hose, all black and white sole, fashioned, fast black, close and elastic, double heel and toe. Extra special Friday, 19c.

Boys' and Girls' School Stockings, ribbed kind, soft, close quality, good wearing, double heel and toe. Friday, 19c.

Children's 1-1 Ribbed Black Cotton Stockings, stainless dye, medium weight, very elastic, double heel and toe, 15c quality. Friday, 5 1-2 to 10, 12 1-2c.

Infants' Black Cashmere Socks, 20 doz., sizes 4 and 4 1-2, finest quality, elastic, close fitting rib top. To clear Friday, 5c.

Men's Plain Black Cashmere Half Hose, seamless finish, soft English yarn, medium weight, double heel and toe. Special Friday, 17c and 12 1-2c.

Women's 16 and 12-Button Suede Gloves, Perrin quality, mousquetaire style, perfect fitting, tan, black, white and grey, assortment of sizes. \$2.00 value, Friday 75c.

Children's Lisle Thread Gloves, lace and plain kind, button and Jersey wrist, tan, grey and white, medium sizes. Friday, 15c.

Men's Canvas Working Gloves, strong, durable material, well made, double cuff, perfect fitting, very special price. Friday, three pairs for 25c.

In the Dress Goods Dept.

Black Dress and Suiting Fabrics, in new chiffon Panamas, new armures and melroses, new cord de chine and satin cloths, new voiles, coarse and fine mesh lustrous and Sicilians, brilliant and silky finish, taffeta cloths and poplins. Regularly up to 75c per yard. Friday, 49c.

Cream French Washing Cotelles, in a variety of weaves, 40 inch. Regular 65c.

Cream Sicilians, with lustrous finish, uncrushable and dustproof, 44 inch to 50 inch. Regular 65c.

Cream Panamas and Serges, very popular for outing suits, 46 inch wide. Regular 65c.

Friday, 48c.

1000 yards All-wool French and German Delaines, guaranteed pure wool and fast dyes, in the newest floral, Paisley, stripe and bordered designs, 30 inch wide. Regular price 45c to 50c. Friday, 38c.

Silk Bargains

75c one-yard wide Summer Silk, 55c.

Extra heavy weight, beautiful rich full black, also cream and ivory.

65c Colored Chiffon Taffeta Dress Silks, 44c.

50c Colored Satin de Chine Dress Silk, 44c.

Rich Dress qualities, desirable weaves, in the latest finish. Both lines come in a full range of street and evening shades, also ivory and black. Friday bargain, 44c yard.

50c Natural Colored Shantung, 33c.

A heavy, rough, fashionable weave, all silk, splendid wearing and laundering quality, 26 inches wide, 33c yard.

Wash Goods Bargains

20 pieces only of 36 inch White Nainsook, a beautiful soft cloth, specially suitable for children's and infants' wear, fine, even thread, cheaper than white cotton. Worth regularly 10c, for 7c.

28 inch Pretty Printed Delainettes for summer frocks, all the favorite colors and designs. Regular 15c, for 6c.

Hundreds of short pieces and slightly-mused and shop-soiled Muslins, Lawns and Organdies, in pink, sky, mauve, etc., also a quantity of high-class Colored Swiss Muslins. Regularly up to 65c. While they last, 25c.

Medicines and Sundries

Pure Norwegian Cod Liver Oil, 42c bottles, Friday, 25c.

Blaud's Iron Pills, plain or improved, 100 in box. Friday, 10c.

Paterson's Cough Drops, 5c packages, Friday, two for 5c.

Ferrozone Inhalers, for catarrh or cold in the head. Friday, 15c.

Liver Fix, 25c size, Friday, 12 1-2c.

Diamond Bulb Syringes, red rubber. Regular \$1.00. Friday, 75c.

Teething Necklace, 25c. Friday, 15c.

Jewellery Bargains

200 Solid Gold Pearl Set Rings, fine real pearls, claw setting. Regular selling \$4.00. Friday, \$1.09.

1000 articles of Jewellery, Gold Filled Cuff Links, assorted patterns; Hat Pins, fancy designs; Gold Filled Beauty Pins, Gold Filled Brooches, etc. Regular selling up to 50c. Friday, one piece, 10c each.

Arthur Stringer's New Book

100 only Hephaestus' Persephone at Enna and Sappho in Leucadia, by Arthur Stringer. Published at \$1.00. Our price, 15c. (New Book Department.)

STATIONERY

200 boxes of Paper, 24 sheets of paper, 24 envelopes to match, very fine quality, two for 15c. (On sale Stationery Department.)

A clearance sale of High-grade Paper and Envelopes, quite a lot of Crane's and other celebrated makes in this lot. Regular 15c, 20c and 25c values. Our price while they last, 5c per quire paper, 5c per package envelopes. (On sale Friday, Stationery Department.)

Bargains for Men

125 Men's Suits, in imported and Canadian tweeds, linings. Regular \$9.50, \$11.00 and \$12.00. Friday, \$5.95.

80 only Men's Waterproof Coats, made from English rubberized covert-cloth, in dark grey and fawn shades, plaid lining, velvet collar, seams sewn and taped. Regular \$8.50 to \$10.00. Clearing Friday, \$4.95.

BOYS' BARGAINS

115 Boys' High-grade Single and Double-breasted Three-piece Suits, in Scotch and Canadian tweeds, durable linings, well tailored and finished. Sizes 28 to 33. Regular \$4.50, \$5.00 and \$5.50. Clearing Friday, \$3.48.

Boys' Norfolk and Two-piece Double-breasted Suits, imported tweeds. Suits are plain. Plain knee pants. Sizes 6 to 10. Regular price \$3.50 to \$4.50. Friday, \$2.49.

Boys' Navy Blue and White Striped Russian and Sailor Blouse Wash Suits, galates, warranted thoroughly fast color, with sailor collars and white cotton shirt. Russian suits have bloomer pants. Sizes 3 to 7 years. Sailor blouse suits have plain pants. Sizes 6 to 10 years. Regular price 75c. Friday 59c.

For Men Again

500 Four-in-hand Silk Neckwear, correct widths, a large variety of patterns and colorings. Regular to 50c. Friday, 18c, or three for 50c.

200 Fancy Elastic Web Suspenders, cross braces, cast-off ends. Special Friday, 23c.

500 garments of Imported Balbriggan Underwear, slightly damaged. Sizes 34 to 42. Regular 50c. Friday 29c garment.

100 Pyjama Suits, flannelette and fine goods, for summer wear. Regular to \$1.50. Friday, 87c suit.

500 Neglige Shirts, mostly broken lines, stripes, spots, etc. Sizes 14 to 16 1-2. Regular 75c and \$1.00. Friday, 58c.

Hats for Men

Men's Black Stiff Hats, English make. Regular up to \$2.00. Friday, 98c.

Men's Brown Stiff Hats. Regular up to \$2.50. Friday, 59c.

Men's Soft Hats, new shapes, fawn, slate, brown, beaver and pearl grey. Regular up to \$2.00. Friday, 69c.

Children's Headwear

Boys' or Girls' Varsity Caps, serge, felt and velvet, strapped seams. Regular value 25c. Friday, 9c.

Children's Tam O'Shanter, in cloth or velvet, black, navy, brown or cardinal. Friday, special, 20c.

Silverware Specials

25 Marmalade Jars, decorated semi-porcelain jar, English plate rim and cover. Regular \$1.75. Friday, 75c.

25 Fruit Dishes, plated stand, fancy cut glass pattern, fruit bowl large size. Regular \$3.00. Friday, \$1.98.

25 Dessert Sets, Sugar Bowl and Cream Pitcher, assorted patterns and designs, Roman lined. Regular \$3.50 and \$4.00. Friday, \$2.95 pair.

\$1.25 Clocks 69c.

300 Alarm Clocks, copper cases, loud alarms, lever to stop bell, guaranteed good timekeepers. Regular value \$1.25. Friday selling, 69c.

\$4.00 Carving Sets \$1.00

150 Carving Sets, three pieces, buffalo and staghorn handles, fancy ferrules, fine quality Sheffield steel, fancy lined leatherette case. Regular selling \$3.50 and \$4.00. Friday bargain, \$1.95.

Garden Bargains

PARK LAWN GRASS SEED, 15c PER LB.  
Rennie's Park Lawn Seed. Regular 25c, per lb. 15c.  
16 packets Flower or Vegetable Seeds for 25c.  
1-4 lb. Sweet Peas for 15c.  
1 oz. packets Nasturtium, Sweet Peas, Morning Glory or Scarlet Runners, 1 oz. each, for 25c.  
Gladiolus or Tuberose Bulbs, 12 for 25c.  
Dahlia Bulbs, mixed colors, 6 for 25c.  
Phlox, Iris, Golden Glow, Rhubarb Roots, three for 25c.  
Peony Roots, pink, white and red, 20c each, three for 50c.  
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