

# OAK HALL

## "BACK HOME" SALE

Corner of King and Germain Streets

AN OPPORTUNITY UNRIVALLED in the City of St. John to procure new Spring Merchandise at prices so far reduced below the actual selling prices of today that they are truly irresistible.

Not alone low prices—but the qualities are truly superior to what one expects to find even at prices 50% higher than these.

Such a combination—Low Price and High Quality—Take advantage of it now—In a few days it may be too late.

CLOTHING  
FURNISHINGS  
for  
MEN AND BOYS

WEARING APPAREL  
for  
WOMEN

### Women's Shop

**Raincoats, \$8.95**  
Regular Value, \$14.00  
Fawn Colored Gabardine Coats with deep side pockets, strap on sleeves, snug-fitting collar. A wonderful bargain for a rainy day coat.

**Heatherbloom Underskirts, \$3.60**  
Regular Values up to \$5.25  
Navy, Brown, Black, Green, Rose, Copen. Made with deep flounce, narrow ruffles, draw-string at waist.

**Separate Skirts**  
Pretty Shepherd Plaid Skirts with separate belt, fancy patch pockets. . . . . Specially Priced, \$6.75  
All-Wool Serge Skirts in Black or Navy, smartly tailored, at prices that are low enough to make them irresistible.  
Skirts up to \$18.75. . . . . Now \$11.59  
Skirts up to \$10.80. . . . . Now \$ 7.39

**Bungalow House Dresses**  
Specially Priced, \$1.75  
Made From English Wash Prints.  
Bungalow Aprons—Specially Priced, \$1.28

**Lingerie**  
White Cotton Nightgowns—Kimono sleeves, lace trim. . . . . Special Prices, \$1.29, \$1.08  
White Cotton Drawers, . . . . . Special Prices, 98c., 65c.  
Fine Nainsook Corset Covers, . . . . . Special Prices, 59c., 45c.  
Children's White Cotton Bloomers, . . . . . Specially Priced, 59c.  
Undervests of White Balbriggan, Kurnly cut, . . . . . Specially Priced, 98c.  
Combinations — Cotton knit, sleeveless, knee length . . . . . Specially Priced, \$1.25

**MEN'S SUITS, \$23.98**  
will buy Young Men's Fancy Tweed Suits of the very latest models, a combination waistline and better effect. These are made with peak lapels, bell cuffs, and are extremely smart in every way. Made from high quality Tweeds, in Greens, Greys and Browns. Values at \$30 to \$35. . . . . Now \$23.98

**TOPCOATS**  
Spring and Fall Weight Overcoats, in Chesterfield, Slip-on, Belter and Waist-Line style, Plain Greys and Fancy Mixed Tweed effects.  
\$30 Topcoats now . . . . . \$22.65  
\$35 Topcoats now . . . . . \$26.98  
\$40 Topcoats now . . . . . \$28.65  
and many others too.

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**OVERALLS AND ODD TROUSERS**  
\$2.75 Black Overalls, now . . . . . \$1.98  
\$3.50 Dark Grey Working Trousers, now . . . . . \$2.45  
All-Wool Bannockburn Trousers, now . . . . . \$6.56  
Heavy Tweed Working Trousers, now . . . . . \$5.69  
Striped Worsted and Fancy Mixed Trews, Specially Priced \$3.30, \$3.94 \$4.38, \$5.16, \$6.12

**MEN'S SUITS, \$34.85**  
will buy a Smart Single or Double Breasted Young Men's Suit of Humphrey All-Wool Tweed in pretty Clavat Green Shade, in a fancy mixture or in a striped pattern.  
Worth from \$40 to \$52.50.  
Now \$34.85.  
\$25 Suits for . . . . . \$21.60  
\$35 Suits for . . . . . \$28.65  
\$45 Suits for . . . . . \$38.40  
\$55 Suits for . . . . . \$47.80

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**Sweaters**  
Silk Coat Sweaters in many different plain colors, with belt and pockets of contrasting shades. Specially Priced \$13.98  
Wool Sweaters—Pullover style, various shades. Specially Priced, \$5.98

**Voile Blouses, \$2.65**  
Different styles and many different designs are represented. These should not last long, as the price quoted is less than is being asked by the makers today.  
Many other Voile Blouses at various prices, all interestingly reduced.

**Middies**  
Sizes 6 to 14 and 34 to 42  
White with navy gabardine collar and cuffs, white braid trim. . . . . Specially Priced, \$2.65  
Middies for Children—Sizes 6 to 14 years, white with cadet blue attached collar and cuffs, white braid trim. . . . . Specially Priced, \$1.98  
Many other Middies for women and children, all at radical reductions.

**Women's Hosiery**  
Luxite Silk Hose in brown, gun metal, white. Specially Priced, \$1.25  
Fibre Silk Hose. . . . . Specially Priced, 98c.  
Lisle Hose. . . . . Special Prices, 29c., 48c., 59c.  
Cashmere Hose. . . . . Specially Priced, 89c.

**Gloves**  
Kid Gloves. . . . . Specially Priced, \$1.98  
Silk Gloves. . . . . Special Prices, 75c. and 98c.  
Chamoisette Gloves. . . . . Specially Priced, 84c.

**Children's Wash Dresses**  
Sizes 2 to 14 Years  
Ginghams and Chambrays. Collar, cuffs and pockets of contrasting colors.  
Very Specially Priced, 98c.  
Many other Dresses for children at real bargain prices.

**WATERPROOFS**  
In Grey, Brown and Fancy Mixed Tweed Effects. Regular \$16.50 to \$18. Now . . . . . \$13.45  
Whipcord Driving Coats, rubber interlining, Regular \$12.00. Now \$7.98  
Other Raincoats, from \$13 to \$30, all radically reduced.

**BOYS' CLOTHING AND FURNISHINGS**  
are here, tool Suits, Reefers, Pants, Coveralls, Blouses, Shirts, Underwear, Sweaters, Stockings, etc., at prices that mean big savings.

**MEN'S FURNISHINGS**  
Everything a man wants in the way of furnishings is here for his choosing, and all at drastic reductions. Shirts, Underwear, Gloves, Hosiery, Braces, Handkerchiefs, etc.

OAK HALL - Scovil Bros., Ltd.  
Corner King and Germain Streets

## A QUESTION ANSWERED

The question "What for Desert?" is easily answered in the long list of tasty things to choose from at this busy little shop—created for just such objects!

**The Busy Bee** 143 Charlotte Street

8.30 a.m. to 7 p.m.—Saturdays 8.30 a.m. to 10.30 p.m.

### SHIPPING

**ALMANAC FOR ST JOHN, MAY 12.**  
A.M. P.M.  
High Tide. . . . . 6.24 Low Tide. . . . . 2.32  
Sun Rises. . . . . 4.08 Sun Sets. . . . . 7.44

**PORT OF ST. JOHN.**  
Cleared Yesterday.  
Schr C C Mengel, Jr, 726, for Cork, Ireland.  
Sailed Yesterday.  
Str Panaghis, Metaxis, 5800, for Greece.

**MARINE NOTES.**  
The C. G. M. M. steamer Canadian Sower is expected to finish discharging her cargo of raw sugar and move to the east side of Long wharf sometime today.  
The C. P. O. S. Montclair has moved from berth No. 16 to berth No. 1, Sand Point.  
The large American four-masted

schooner C. C. Mengel, Jr., cleared yesterday for Cork, Ireland, with a cargo of 850,229 superficial feet spruce deals for that port shipped by George McKean & Co., Ltd. Nagle & Wigmore are the local agents. This is the first sailing of this year clearing from this port for the United Kingdom with lumber. She is expected to get away sometime today.

### McLEAN INCIDENT IS SETTLED

Ottawa, May 11—The resignations of Col. C. W. Peck, V.C., and Col. R. C. Cooper from the pensions committee have been withdrawn. A statement from Brig-General H. H. McLean apologizing for any offence which his words may unintentionally have caused to returned soldiers, their wives or widows, has been placed on the records of the committee and the whole "McLean incident," which for a time threatened to disrupt the committee has been settled.  
Brig-General McLean's statement

which he read at a brief meeting of the committee this afternoon follows:  
"There has been a distinct misunderstanding as to words used by me in the select committee on pensions. This circumstance, I regret exceedingly, as nothing was further from my mind than to reflect in any way either on soldiers or their dependents, and while still affirming my statement as to what I did say on that occasion, I desire to apologize for any offence which my words may have unintentionally caused to the returned soldiers, their wives or widows."

### DENIES ECREMENT.

Milwaukee, Wis., May 11—Carlos Ferrer, Milwaukee securities broker mentioned today in connection with the arrest at Chicago of Arthur Ecrement for complicity in a \$2,000,000 New York bond theft, denied knowledge of Ecrement or of "Nicky" Arnstein, New York suspect in the case, except through newspapers.  
The British mails here will close at 8 p. m. on Thursday, May 13, for the C. P. O. S. liner Empress of France, via Quebec.

## Experience Saves Money in this Maxwell

THE 300,000 Maxwells built to date saves you many a worth while dollar in the new Post-War Maxwell. Those 300,000 saved in many ways.



1. They taught "short cuts" in manufacturing.
2. They eliminated all experimental work—you don't have to pay for a single engineering mistake.
3. They developed quantity production which has reduced "overhead."
4. They enabled quantity purchases; and better materials are bought at lower costs.
5. They taught now to build an almost trouble-proof car; you seldom take a Post-War Maxwell to a repair shop.

6. They taught how to get the most mileage out of a gallon of gasoline, a pint of oil and a set of tires.

7. They taught how to build a car that the less skilled driver would find simple to operate and take care of.

8. They taught that it was better to build more and take less profit per car rather than build less and take more profit per car.

9. They taught how to put more and more value in the car without increasing the cost.

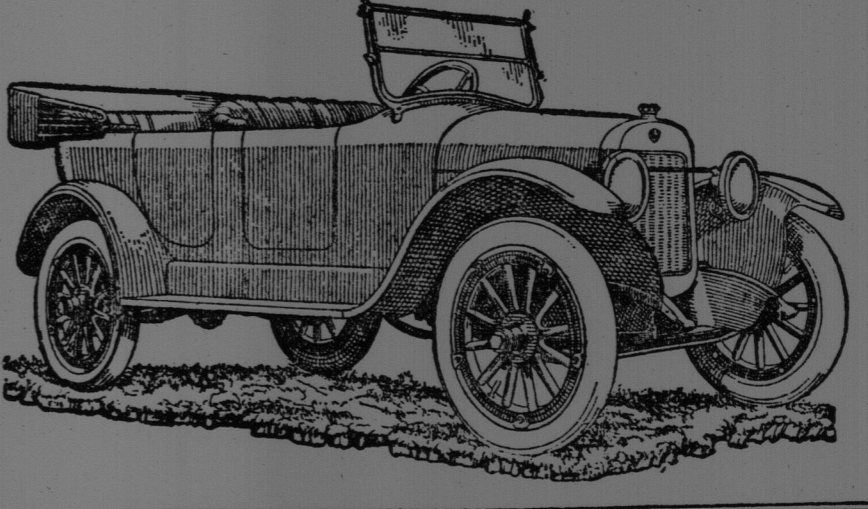
This Post-War Maxwell is next year's car. It contains features developed during the war, many of which will find their way into other cars in the summer of 1920.

MAXWELL MOTOR CO., OF CANADA, LIMITED, WINDSOR, ONT.

MOTOR CAR & EQUIPMENT CO., LIMITED

Showrooms: Cor. Duke and Charlotte Streets.

Garage: 108 to 112 Princess St. St. John, N. B.



**PRICES IN ENGLAND DOWN.**  
London, May 12—The London Economist's index number of average commodity prices at the end of April is 8,322, against 8,362 a month ago. This

is the first reaction in more than a year. The fall has occurred chiefly in textiles, minerals, rubber and miscellaneous commodities. It is still feared, however, that the rise will be resumed.  
The Economist's "index number" of

English commodity prices is made up at the opening of each month from the average price of several hundred articles. This is the first reduction reported in any month since April, 1919. On the first of that month the index number

was 5,706, as compared with 6,212 immediately after the armistice in November, 1918, and with a war-time maximum of 6,238, on October 1, 1918. At the opening of August, 1914, the index number was 2,955.