

ANOTHER CHAPTER OF INCOMPARABLE VALUES FOR Thursday AND Saturday.

A Sale of Worthy, Desirable High-Grade Merchandise at such Low Prices as to make them almost Price-Compelling.



Show
RESSES,
Spring Coats.
TION,
opportunity of
HALL.
10 a.m. sharp,
NG
1918.
ring floor
not given
ed to pro-
of Congo-
best wear-
Congoleum
Ltd.

FOOTWEAR OF SPECIAL MERIT.

CHILDREN'S CLOTH TOP BOOTS.—Bronze Dongola and Russian Calf, foxed with cloth in colours to match. A dresy little boot for fine wear; size 5 to 8. Reg. \$1.40 pair. **Thursday and Saturday \$1.30**

WOMEN'S BUTTONED BOOTS.—Made from soft Dongola Kid of a very fine quality. A stylish new shape with plain pointed toe, comfortable medium height, solid leather soles. Reg. \$3.40 pair. **Thursday and Saturday \$4.90**

CHILDREN'S SLIPPERS.—A wide toe style that will prove very comfortable for growing feet. Tan and Patent leather with one strap, wedge heel and tape-bound tops; sizes 5 1/2 to 8. Reg. \$1.50 pair. **Thurs. & Sat. \$1.38**

WOMEN'S LACED & BUTTONED BOOTS.—Soft Cabretta in a pointed toe style with medium toes & heels. A full range of sizes from 3 to 7, including halves. Regular \$3.75 pair. **Thursday and Sat. \$3.45**

and House Furnishings.

HEARTH RUGS.—A big variety of pretty color combinations and designs. Here you will find the rug that suits your particular taste. They are of heavy velvet pile and will give lasting wear. Size 27 x 60 inches; hemmed. Regular \$6.40 each. **Thursday and Saturday \$5.95**

TAPETRY HEARTH RUGS.—A very serviceable quality in a good large size. Patterns suitable for almost any room. Regular \$3.25 each. **Thursday and Saturday \$3.00**

DOOR MATS.—With a thick, heavy pile that will give great service. In this lot you will find patterns to match almost any hearth rug. They are made with hemmed sides that will prevent the corners turning up when in use. Regular \$1.00 each. **Thursday and Saturday .94c**

TEA COSETS.—Fancy Chintz with white piped edging, and repp with self frill and fancy sateen centres; Silk cord and self loops. Serviceable and lasting qualities. Heavy or collapsible styles. Reg. \$1.20 each. **Thursday and Saturday \$1.00**

AMERICAN TEA CLOTHS.—Circular and square shapes with scalloped edge strongly over-stitched with lustre cotton. The patterns are stamped or worked ready for use. Assorted sizes. Reg. 35c. ea. **Thursday and Saturday 28c**

CERISE MANTLE DRAPES.—Handsome silk-embroidered patterns in contrasting color effects; dark and mid cerise grounds, scalloped edge. Size 2 yards long and 54 inches wide. Regular \$4.50 each. **Thursday and Saturday 38c**

BUREAU AND SIDEBORD SCARFS.—Coarse White Cotton of a quality that will give the best of wear. The designs are handsomely worked with strong White Cotton. Size 13 1/2 x 66 inches, with wide hemstitched hem. Regular 65c. each. **Thursday and Saturday 60c**

WHITE MUSLIN CUSHION COVERS.—With colored embroidered centres in a variety of new designs. Finished at the edges with wide hemstitched will. Will take a cushion 18 x 18 inches. Reg. 55c. each. **Thursday and Saturday 45c**

LINEN CUP TOWELS.—Excellent quality, soft White linen, with a narrow red border and neat hem. Will wash splendidly and dry soft. Reg. 35c. ea. **Thursday and Saturday 30c**

TAPED PILLOW CASES.—A serviceable, low priced Pillow Case for ordinary use. Made from fair quality Pillow Cotton, with tape tie strings. Size 18 x 28 inches. Reg. 35c. each. **Thursday and Saturday 30c**

NOTICE OUR MANY SPECIALS IN THE SHOWROOM DEPARTMENT.

CHILDREN'S VELVET GRIP SUSPENDERS.—In white, blue and black, with safety pin tops and oblong rubber buttons. Regular 30 and 35c. each. **Thursday 28c & Saturday 28c**

CAMBRIC EMBROIDERY.—Solid and openwork designs in 10 different patterns, ranging from 1 to 2 inches wide. Regular 9, 10 and 11c. yard. **Thursday and Saturday 8c**

MERVE SILK RIBBONS.—In all the new season's colors; widths from 5 to 6 inches. In view of the rapidly increasing price of all kinds of silk materials, we are still able to offer this splendid value. Reg. 35c. yard. **Thursday and Saturday 28c**

MISSIE'S KHAKI & SAGE SCHOOL DRESSES.—With white pique collars, white piping and white linen covered buttons, at a price far below present day quotations for equal grades. Buy all you need for summer as they cannot last long, even at the regular prices of \$1.99 and \$2.20 each. **Special for Thurs. & Saturday \$1.75**

UNTRIMMED HATS.—Of white tagel straw in fashionable, large shapes, with wide brim and round crowns. Reg. \$2.00 ea. **Thurs. & Saturday \$1.60**

WOMEN'S LINEN HATS.—Bluzier stripes with white band and crushable white crowns, also fancy stripes and plain colors in a big variety. Regular 75c. ea. **Thurs. & Friday 78c**

WOMEN'S RIBBED KNICKERS.—In a close-knit mid-season's weight, finished with band of fine valencienne lace at the knee. A style that will fit closely and prove very comfortable. Reg. 80c. pair. **Thursday and Saturday 72c**

WOMEN'S RIBBED VESTS.—Sleeveless and wing sleeved styles in a light weight, ribbed material. Considered excellent value at the regular price of 55c. per garment. **Special for Thursday and Saturday 49c**

MISSIE'S AND SMALL WOMEN'S NIGHTDRESSES.—Of soft cambric material. Cut large and roomy in square and Y neck styles with handsome trimmings of embroidery, lace colored silk ribbon. Reg. \$2.00 each. **Thursday and Sat. \$1.60**

WOMEN'S BLOUSES.—White volles in a magnificent range of new models. Finished with hand embroidered fronts and the valencienne lace trimmings. All this season's White Volle Blouses, retailing at \$2.75 each, will be sold **Thursday & Sat. \$2.35**

WOMEN'S LINEN MIDDIES.—In a fashionable coat style with detachable belt, fancy pocket, wide sailor collar, pearl buttons and hand embroidered, smoked fronts. They are made from pure linen material in plain colors and two-tone effects and will give splendid service. Regular \$3.50 and \$3.75 ea. **Thurs. & Saturday \$2.95**

WOMEN'S TAFETTA SILK UNDERSKIRTS.—With extra deep fancy and accordion pleated faunces in several different styles. Made with shaped hips and waistbands adjustable to any size up to 22 inches. Regular \$5.00 and \$5.75 each. **Thursday and Saturday \$5.30**

"HYDROITTE" RAGLANS.—Made in single-breasted, loose fitting style from showproof raglan material in a popular fawn shade. In the new season's style with wide collar, long lapel, raglan sleeve and detachable belt. An all-round serviceable coat for any year. Regular \$3.50 each. **Thurs. & Saturday \$7.20**

WOMEN'S NIGHTDRESSES.—Made from fine English longcloth, of a beautiful soft quality, in a pretty square neck style, with insertion yoke, colored ribbon trimmings and embroidery edged bow sleeves. Regular \$3.75 each. **\$3.30**

Quaker Moth Proof Chests.

We have just opened a small stock of these serviceable articles. They are made in a convenient collapsible style from three layers of tough fibre. The middle layer is treated with a special compound to drive away moths. They are a safe, convenient and economical storage for blankets, clothes, and furs.

Record Values in WOMEN'S NECKWEAR.

GEORGETTE CREPE COLLARS.—A charming style with pointed back and shoulders, trimmed with edging of fine valenciennes lace; colors: Ivory, Champagne, Rose Green, Pink and Black. Reg. 55c. each. **Thursday and Saturday 55c**

WOMEN'S JAP SILK COLLARS.—Trimmed with fine valenciennes insertion and lace. They are carefully made and finished, and possess that much desired appearance so much sought after by well dressed women. Regular \$1.25 each. **Thursday and Saturday 1.00**

MARABON RUFFLES.—Absolutely the latest in neckwear, made full with soft silk bow or dainty bouquet of flowers; colors: Plain Black, Nigger and Natural, also mixed Black and White. Reg. \$1.85 each. **Thursday and Saturday 1.50**

BELLE RUFFLES.—Made with ribbon bow and black edging. Just the thing to wear with your new costume or dress. Colors: Navy, Pink, Tan, Black and White. Regular \$1.50 each. **Thursday 1.20 and Saturday 1.20**

GLOVES.

WHAT'S KID GLOVES.—The popular Glove for women who demand good style effect and durability; sizes 6, 6 1/2, 6 3/4, 6 1/2, and 7 in Black and Tan. Reg. \$2.75 pair. **Thursday & Saturday \$2.40**

WOMEN'S SILK GLOVES.—Made in the proper weight for present wear from even weave silk. They are made with double finger tips, affording double protection where they wear most. Reg. 85c. pair. **Thursday & Saturday 85c**

HOSIERY.

WOMEN'S HOSE.—Black Cashmerette with colored embroidered ankles, and Black Gauze Lisle with double sole and wide garter tops. Reg. 50c. pair. **Thursday and Saturday 44c**

WOMEN'S SILK HOSE.—With double Lisle feet; striped, spotted and fancy designs on Navy, Champagne, Brown, Grey and Black grounds; manufacturers' seconds. Reg. \$1.00 pair. **Thursday and Saturday 88c**

The Royal Stores Ltd.

Get Your Supplies at the Leading Men's Furnishing Store.

CHILDREN'S GORDON HATS.—With alternate quarters of plain velvet; narrow turned down rim and neat band and bow of ribbon. The styles are suitable for boys or girls up to 6 years. Reg. \$1.25 each. **Thursday and Saturday 1.05**

MEN'S AMERICAN CAPS.—Shepherd checks, stripes and plain tweeds in a very light weight for summer. Part of a job purchase and which considerably more than the regular retail price of \$1.50 each. **Special for Thursday and Saturday \$1.25**

ELASTIC ARM BANDS.—A big variety of colors, made with neat bow of soft satin. Reg. 35c. pair. **Thursday and Saturday 30c**

MEN'S MIKADO BRACES.—With elastic button cords. This Brace ensures a well hung pants and allows freedom of movement. It is the acme of perfection. **Special for Thursday & Saturday 93c**

MEN'S DERBY TIES.—Assorted silks in shaded, striped and fancy designs. Made in reversible style and will give double the wear of the ordinary kind. Reg. 75c. each. **Thursday and Saturday 68c**

MEN'S WIDE END TIES.—In a large assortment of fancy silks and satins. They are made with reinforced bands and will always keep their shape. Reg. \$1.00 each. **Thursday and Saturday 90c**

COTTON WORK SHIRTS.—We offer this splendid wearing Blue Cotton Shirt at such a low price that every one of our customers who buys them will be more than satisfied. It is a superior made shirt, having collar attached, double shoulders, double stitched felled seams and breast pocket; made of a smooth finished, medium weight cotton. Reg. \$1.10 each. **Thursday and Saturday 90c**

STANFIELD'S MID-SEASON'S UNDERWEAR.—Elastic, ribbed wool; rendered unshrinkable by the Stanfield process. It's a fine medium Spring or Fall weight, a standard number with us and one we sell a great many of; sizes 36 to 42. Reg. \$2.50 garment. **Thursday and Saturday \$2.25**

MEN'S BALBRIGGAN UNDERWEAR.—Here is a garment that we know is great value when you consider today's prices; it is a summer weight Egyptian Balbriggan, natural Balbriggan color, well made and finished throughout. Reg. \$1.50 garment. **Thursday and Saturday 1.05**

MEN'S BOOTS.—Buttonged, Gun Metal Boots with dull kid tops, and laced Kid in Blucher style. They are old stock and we consider them exceptional value. Regular \$4.70 pair. **Thursday and Saturday \$4.40**

Cutting the Wires.
Patrick McGill, Author of "The Great Push," etc.

The tanks went forward and walking through the barbed wire as if it were a mat. The speaker was a raw "rookie" who had been in the trenches where he had his first fighting. He took part in the attack, in which the Germans were worsted and chased back out of their lines. The "rookie" was now in the line of the front line. He had taken part in the night, and these monster vehicles had been seen in the papers, but he was not the same as seeing them when they were engaged on their work in battle. He managed to get through the shell holes and "beat his retreat."

he said, "Nothing was able to hold them back. Nothing. . . . But what must it have been like when they weren't there, when men had to go forward with nothing to help them to get through when they came to the wires? It must have been an awful job then."

"It was hell!" said a voice from the corner of the barn in which the platoon was billeted. "It was pure hot, murderin' hell!"

The speaker detached himself from the straw in which he was lying, and stood in the centre of the floor, a pipe in his mouth and his tunic open at the neck. He was a tall, heavy-boned man with three gold stripes on his sleeve and the ribbon of the D. C. M. on his breast. The man was Private Cahoy, an Irish soldier who had fought at Mons.

"Hell!" he repeated. "That's what it was in them old days. We had no tanks, nothin' but a handful of shells—a mighty small handful—and we had to get through the wire as they had when we crossed the bags. Glory be! It was no easy job I'm tellin' ye. I was out at Mons, too, one iv the pioneers, one iv the first. Ye know what that makes. It makes doin' the dirty work at the beginnin' just like navvies when they do the dirty work layin' iv a city. They come in their corduroyos with their bit iv grub in a red handkerchief and they set to work to wheel the muck away, to dig the cess-pools and the drains. They are not much thought iv by anyone, but they do the work; they make the start. Iv course they make mistakes as all men do; a lot goes wrong for the little that goes right, but when all is said and done the first day's work is as important as the last and more so. The men that fought their way back from Mons, they're not point to the infantry were as good men and maybe better men than them that will be in the last big battle in this war when the German is bate for iver. But for all that there won't be many iv the Mons men to go home marching to the bate iv the drum when the day iv victory is at hand. That is the way iv the world."

"But about the work agin the wire," said Cahoy, suddenly recollecting that he was wondering from the point, "it was hard enough at the start. At that time we hadn't anything to help us but the wire-cutters, and when ye came up agin a square furling iv the thing it wasn't much use tryin' to get forward. There's no time in battle to cut your way through yards and yards of wire, and the wire-cutters were all dead to help us. Some iv ye may laugh at that, but it was the beginnin'. And we wor the pioneers. The first pioneers iv all was a gardener, and it was not on record that he had a lawn mower, and the old B. E. F. pioneers hadn't the tanks to help them in their work. We went into this war, the greatest iv all history, in skeleton equipment."

"It was soon seen that we couldn't get victory with wire-cutters, so we set about with other means. The next thing was a sort iv land torpedo. I never saw it at work but I believe that the way iv settin' it goin' was to place it in front iv the German wire, let it off with a bang and it ripped a hole right through the entanglements. It was no good either, for it was too big a job to get it into position and not be seen. Then the guns came into coln' their share. They were turned on, hundreds and hundreds iv them, and they smashed the wires a bit. But only a bit! In one reaction that I was in when the guns had been point' full hazes for three days we got' full there wasn't a scrap iv wire between us and the Germans when the guns had finished. We crossed the bags and it was easy enough gettin' to the first trench and the second. Sure enough there was not a yard of wire left anywhere. But the third trench was a dog iv a different breedin'. Here we found ourselves stuck up on the wrong side iv a little dip in the ground and this dip was choke full iv wire hidden from the guns. We couldn't cross it and we had to lie down flat there with the machine guns, hid and camouflaged, hangin' away like kettle drums in a St. Patrick's Day demonstration. Ah! if we'd had the Tanks in front iv us then it would be a different story."

"But the dears came later, and never was there any wire-cutters to compare with them. I grant ye, Rookie that nothin' can stand up agin them, but its as well when ye speak about them to bear in mind the times that

and the men that wor, the fellows who went out with the wire-cutters to cut their way up to the German trenches. There's one thing certain about them men anyway and that is this. If they hadn't the implements for the job they had the heart for it any way. And that is everything."

THE NEW FRENCH REMEDY, THERAPION No. 1

THERAPION No. 2

THERAPION No. 3

MADE IN FRANCE

THERAPION

MINARD'S LINIMENT USED BY PHYSICIANS.