

Monday in the Mantle Department--Distinctive Costumes in Black Velvets Ponetta Cloth Coats at \$17.50 and Handsome Costumes From \$20 to \$35

New Arrivals in the Men's Furnishing Department

CEYLON FLANNEL SHIRTS AT MODERATE PRICES

Negligee Shirts, made of good Ceylon flannel, have starched collar band, soft reversible cuff and separate collar to match each shirt.

You can have your choice from the following colors: Plain fawn, blue and grey, also blue and grey with white stripe, and cream with black and blue stripes.

There are all sizes in stock, and if you are looking for a good, serviceable shirt, that fits the body and the pocket in a most comfortable manner, try one of these, and you will be pleased.

Special Value, each **\$2.00**

Outing Shirts, that will please the most exacting man in town, will be found here in a large variety of styles and materials.

Let us show you a new line—just arrived—made of good Ceylon flannel, have soft turndown reversible collars and soft cuffs, are well shaped, and will give very satisfactory colors.

There are all sizes in stock, and you have your choice from the following colors: Grey with black stripe, cream with blue or black stripes and grey with blue stripes at, each **\$1.50**

Black Sateen Shirts, made to wear well and give the worker full value for his money.

We have now in stock a very desirable line with soft turndown collars, and while the price alone is quite a usual figure, the quality of the shirts is unusually good, for **65¢**

Men's Knitted Mufflers, Bradley shape, will fit nicely round the neck. Patent clasp fastening, and may be had in all colors, also black and white. They are beautifully knitted, are comfortable, convenient and dressy. Put up in neat boxes, and sell at, each **50¢**

Another Shipment of Hand- some Silk Waists— Just Arrived

Here you will find a choice selection of dainty silk waists made of high-grade chiffon taffeta silk, lustrous chiffon cloths, soft satin de chene and many other varieties of silks in almost all the popular colors of the season, and in styles that will please all.

There are smart tailored models in a small check with front and shoulders trimmed with a wide fold of black taffeta piped with King's blue satin and finished with small black crocheted buttons, while others are trimmed with clusters of tucks. Price **\$5.75**

Fine Net Waists in ecru or white, silk lined, have kimona sleeves and fancy lace yoke, centre trimmed with Cluny lace. This is a very handsome model and represents wonderful value at **\$3.50**

Women's Swiss Underwear

PRICES LOW FOR SUCH FINE QUALITY.

Women's Vests made of a good mixture of silk and wool, long or short sleeves, high or low necks, ribbed finish, very soft and comfortable. Price per garment \$1.50, \$1.25, and **\$1**

Combinations in silk and wool mixture, rib finish, have long or short sleeves, high or low necks, ankle or knee lengths. These garments are all finished, comfortable and reliable. Price per garment \$3.50, \$3, \$2.75 and **\$2.50**

Spun Silk Combinations, low necks, sleeveless, fancy crocheted tops, tight at knee, a very superior and durable garment. Price **\$5.75**

Kitchen Necessities Priced Low

- Pie Plates, in two sizes, at each, 10c and **5¢**
- Cake Tins, at each, 10c or **15¢**
- Perfection Cake Tins, at each, 15c and **10¢**
- Loaf Tins, each **10¢**
- Graters, in a variety of styles and sizes, at each, 25c, 15c, 10c, and **5¢**
- Nutmeg Graters, price, each **5¢**
- The Improved Spring Nutmeg Grater, price, each **15¢**
- Dust Pans, two sizes to choose from. Prices 25c and **10¢**
- Tin Milk Pails, in various sizes, at each, 25c, 15c and **10¢**
- Retinned Tea Pots, at 25c and **20¢**
- Colanders in two sizes, at each, 25c and **15¢**
- The Victor Flour Sifter, at each **15¢**
- Round Pudding Tins, in three sizes, at each, 15c, 10c and **5¢**
- Dish Pans in three sizes, 20 quart size 35c, 14 quart size 25c, and 10 quart size **20¢**
- Pails, 14 quart capacity 25c and 10 quart size **20¢**
- The Daisy Tea Kettle. A good and useful article **25¢**
- Steamers to fit pots from 10 to 7 inches in diameter at 50c and **35¢**
- Heavy Tin Wash Boilers in three sizes ranging in price from \$1.50 to **\$2.00**
- Infant Baths with good oak graining on the outside and white japan on the inside at the following price: \$2.50, \$2.25, \$2.10 and **\$1.90**

A Choice Selection of Distinctive Costumes In Black Velvets

On Monday in the Mantle Department we are showing a very choice selection of black velvet costumes that should strongly appeal to women of refinement.

The coats are semifitting and are trimmed in a variety of styles. Some have collars, cuffs and revers inlaid with moire silk and outlined with wide military braid, while others have handsome pointed sailor collars of plain velvet trimmed with braid or inlaid with silks and cloths and finished with a heavy tassel at the back.

The lining is an excellent quality of Skinner satin and the skirts are beautifully finished with a panel effect back and front, also neat braid trimmings at the sides.

Will you please inspect these garments? We cannot adequately describe them, and unless you see them you cannot fully appreciate their refined beauty.

Prices **\$55, \$65 and \$75**

Ponetta Coats for Women—

Monday's Special \$17.50

Ponetta Cloth is a handsome, hard wearing material strongly resembling pony skin and is meeting with much favour in all the leading fashion centers.

For the woman who must have a coat at a modest price, we know of no better material than this. It is a little unusual, but distinctly refined in appearance.

The coats are full length, semi-fitting, have roll collars with graceful revers or closely fitting military collars, plain tailored sleeves and are lined throughout with Italian cloth. Special for Monday, **\$17.50**.

Handsome Costumes at Popular Prices

This year we are stronger than ever in the Ready-to-Wear Department—especially in costumes that are priced to meet the requirements of the average woman.

Practically every style and material that has won popularity this season will be found here marked at prices that will please the most expectant woman in town.

There are imported tweeds in greys, browns, greens, etc., novelty suits in all-wool worsteds and a choice selection of diagonal serges and chevots to choose from.

We have your size—that's a sure thing—and there is no doubt that you will find a style and a price to please you in this range. Prices range as follows, \$20, \$25, \$30, \$35, and **\$40**



An Interesting Showing of Fall Dress Goods

This season mannish suitings and Scotch tweed effects are very popular, and here you will find a large and choice assortment marked at prices that will please the most expectant.

Mannish Suiting, in smart tweed effects and a swell combination of colors. A very serviceable material, 50in. wide. At, per yard, \$2.00 and **\$1.50**

Invisible Striped Suiting, in grey or heather mixtures, 50in. wide. Per yard **\$1.50**

Tweed Suit Lengths, in grey and fawn mixtures, Exclusive designs, no two alike. Per pattern, from \$2.50 down to **\$12.50**

French Chiffon Broadcloth—This material is as popular as ever. It has a very silky finish and comes in colors grey, plum, tan, fawn, brown, moss, green, helio, navy, cream, pink, pale blue, orange, reseda and black. It is 50in. wide, and is a bargain at, per yard **\$1.75**

Navy Blue Serge, in a wide range to choose from. Every yard warranted fast color. At prices ranging from \$1.50 down to **\$50¢**

All-Wool Poptins and Tartan Shepherd Check, suitable for children's dresses, 40in. wide. Per yard **50¢**

Armure Suiting, suitable for street wear, and may be had in all the newest shades. Per yard **75¢**

Donegal Suiting, 46in. wide, in greys and brown mixtures. Per yard **\$1.50**

Silk Department

A SHOWING OF NEW VELVETS FOR COATS AND SUITS MONDAY

Velvets are proving to be very popular this Fall, and, judging by the splendid range that is now to be seen at the Silk Counter, we are not surprised at this move in public favor.

Below is just a partial list that may be of interest to you. But if you don't see just what you require, enquire for it at the store—probably we can supply the goods at a price that will please you.

Corduroy Velvets, in a variety of beautiful shades. Per yard **65¢**

Velveteens in all the newest shades of, per yard, \$1.00 and **\$1.75**

Silk Velvets for millinery, in all shades, at prices ranging from \$1.50 down to **\$1.00**

Panne Velvets for millinery purposes. Per yard **\$1.50**

Panne Velvets, suitable for trimming coats. All colors, 24in. Per yard **\$3.00**

Panne Velvets, for coats, 45in. wide. Ranging in price from \$8.75 down to **\$4.75**

Black Silk Velvets, extra wide, suitable for coats. Per yard from \$4.75 down to **\$3.00**

BLACK SILKS—ALL RELIABLE MAKES
Black Beau de Soie. Per yard, \$2.00, \$1.00, 75c and **50¢**

Black Messaline Silk. Per yard, \$1.00, 90c, 75c and **50¢**

Black Paillette. Per yard, \$1.00, 90c, 75c and **50¢**

Black Paillette, 40 inches wide. Per yard \$2.175 and **\$1.25**

Black Taffeta, 40 inches wide, good wearing quality. Per yard **\$1.50**

Chiffon Taffeta, wears well. Per yard \$1.50, \$1, and **75¢**

Black French Poplin Silk. Per yard \$2.25 and **\$2.50**

Black Bengaline of high-grade quality. Per yard \$1.75 and **\$1.50**

Two Leaders in the Carpet Dept for Monday's Selling

Portiere Curtains, made of heavy mercerized taffeta, are 40 inches wide and 90 inches long and finished with heavy knotted fringe. These come in fancy floral designs in brown and green or red and gold, also in Bagdad stripe, and are worth \$2.50, but will go on Special Sale on Monday at **\$1.50**

Remnants of Brussels and Wilton Carpets in a great variety of designs and colors in pieces about 1½ yards long. You will find these most useful for bedsides and similar purposes, and the price is exceptionally low. Each **75¢**

Souvenir Burnt Leather Goods

ART NEEDLEWORK DEPARTMENT
Photo Frames, cabinet size, various designs and finished with fringe. Price, each **25¢**

Picture Frames with views of Victoria, various shapes and sizes, all colors. Price **35¢**

Tie Holders, diamond shape, finished with fringe and bar, various colors and designs to choose from. Price, each **35¢**

Double Picture Frames, made of good leather, various colors and designs. Price **65¢**

Leather Bags, finished with fringe, laced at the sides, plain or burnt, finished with fringe and drawer strings. Price **\$1.25**

The Perfume of the Lady in Black

We have the sole agency in Victoria for this fascinating perfume. An exquisite odor, distinctive, charming and lasting. Ask us to show it to you. We have a large variety of all the best and latest perfumes at specially low prices.

The Perfume of the Lady in Black sells at **\$1.50** per oz., but a little goes a long way.

THE STYLE BOOK

32 Colored Pages
2000 Pictures of

LADIES' HOME JOURNAL PATTERNS

5c if purchased with a 15-cent Pattern.

The Home Journal Pattern Counter next to
Patent Medicine Department on
the Main Floor

David Spencer, Limited

Colored Evening Slippers in Many Dainty Models

Today we are showing many new ideas in beautiful Colored Slippers for evening wear in satins and colored leathers. There are very dainty pumps with Cuban heels in tinted satin and finished with an attractive rosette, graceful strap slippers with French heels, and many very handsome models made of fancy leathers and trimmed with beads.

It is impossible to describe this line, and even a good illustration in black and white would fall far short in giving you an adequate idea of their beauty.

Prices start as low as **\$2.50** and rise to **\$7.00**.

Black Evening Slippers, in an almost endless variety of style including black velvet pumps, at, per pair **\$2.50**

Dull Kid Slippers, with beaded strap, a very attractive model. Per pair **\$3.00**

Black Vesting Pumps, the season's latest creation, plain, yet very attractive. Per pair, \$4.50 and **\$3.50**

Black Suede Pumps, smart and dressy. Per pair **\$4.50**

Patent Strap Slippers, a very graceful and useful model that will command much attention this season. Per pair, \$3.50, \$3.00 and **\$2.75**

ISLAND SOLD AFTER EIGHT

Peculiar Deal Put
Late Government
Days—Involves
Great Water Power

HON. WM. HARTY
SUSPECTED TO

New Minister of Public
Orders Suspends
Transaction Until
Return to Department

OTTAWA, Oct. 11.—Victor
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UNITED WIRE

Inquiry by Trustee Show
of Company Profited
Sale of Stock

SEATTLE, Oct. 11.—G
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Mother Superior
TORONTO, Oct. 11.—
Victorine Harris, chief
Institute of the Blessed
Loretto Abbey.

No Strike in Des
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