## The Colonist.

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# THE SEMI-WEEKLY COLONIST

THE SERVICES (USDAY)

## THE ALL-RED LINE.

We commend Sir Wilfrid Laurier's outspoken position on the pronosed All-Red Line to his supporters, who as a rule approach the discussion of this great question as though they are afraid it may be loaded in some mysterious way. It is somewhat singular that, while Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Sir Charles Tupper are both determined advocates of this enterprise, many of the Liberal and Conservative papers regard it with none too favorable eyes. When the enterprise was first mooted, the Colonist, seeing in it something which must redound to the very great advantage of Victoria, declared itself heartly in favor of it; but our evening contemporary turned the hose on at once. We do not suppose that this means anything more than that the Times felt itself bound

ters have been cleared up, and no time should be wasted in making every feature of the situation absolutely plain, it will be practicable to decide what course this country should in its own

to oppose it because the Colonist favored it, but this will not explain the some of those who did not agree with lukewarmness of some of the Liberal papers and the open hostility of some of those supporting the Conservative party, and the latter especially, seeing that all the Premier has done has been to revamp one of the features of the Conservative policy. We are heartily glad to see that Sir Wilfrid is very much in earnest and has declared that the line must be established, with a connection with Australia and New Zealand, as well as with Japan and China.

How much this will mean for Victoria it is not easy now to say, but

## Our Syrup of Hypophosphites

Is a good tonic for this season of the year. Try it for that run-down condition.

One Dollar per Bottte which will last a month.

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# NEW CHINA HERE

# Royal Copenhagen, Just Arrived, Is Pleasing

BEEN WAITING FOR ROYAL COPENHAGEN? Well, it's here. A little overdue in arriving, but the unusually unique and pleasing shapes and decorations make us forget we worried. They're superb. The new pieces are fascinating beyond description to the admirer of beautiful decorated china.

It is hardly necessary to call your attention to the fact that these are new shapes, most recent decorations, quality genuinely good, prices most reasonable.

New studies done in tones of general softness, still showing lots of "life" and "sparkle," shapes truly artistic and altogether china-out-of-the-ordinary that'll appeal to those capable of discrimination.

We have this newness on our First Floor, and shall be delighted to have the opportunity of showing you some of the daintiest items in the way of Vases and Animals you've ever seen in a China Shop.

## AN IDEA OF THE LOW PRICINGS.

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own to \$1.50	GRIZZLY BEARS, at, each \$3.50 EAGLES, at, each \$2.50

# SNAP UP THIS SOLITARY DINNER SET

Want to pick up the best bargain in Dinner Ware that's been offered round these parts for some time? Then snap up this lonely Dinner Service we are offering today. It is a very attractive set-modern shape and decoration. A pretty pink rose, green leaves and a very liberal sprinkling of gold combine to make a decoration that pleases us immensely. It'll please you-we're certain.

Big Fall shipments of China are coming in now, and we are making room for them. There is only one set in this decoration, and the first party to give us Twenty-Eight Dollars and Fifty Cents takes away Ninety-six pieces of Dinnerware that are worth

Dinner Service, 96 pieces - \$28.50

## THE NEW STYLES IN IARDINIERES

European manufacturers of jardinieres have produced some very striking and highly artistic specimens this season, the best of which we are now showing, to the delight of our customers.

The low prices at which some styles (and they are all good) can be bought, obviate the reason of economy for makeshift coverings for unsightly flower pots, coverings which do not insure against accidental musses from over-watering.

No flower pot should be without its jardiniere-when it costs so little and means so much practically and artistically.

All sizes

## SPECIAL SERVICES FOR FISH, GAME, CHOPS

In French, German and Austrian China.

Best makes.

Finest decorations.

All prices.

For relieving the visual monotony of the dinner dishes, there's nothing like a special service for the fish, or the game, or the chops—as delightful as the fritters in the menu.

They are not surpassed in points of excellence as suitable wedding gifts.

They would show conspicuously in the biggest array of gifts.

# THE BEST MATTING MADE—THIS

Fibre Matting is the ideal floor covering for sleeping rooms, sitting rooms, halls, or in fact any place in which a clean, sanitary floor covering is desired. It is cool, cleanly, and the most sanitary of any style of carpet, oilcloth or matting. It is easily kept clean by simply wiping with a damp cloth. The entire absence of dust on the other room furnishings is an item of interest to housekeepers. It is moth and insect proof

This Matting comes in a great variety of designs and colorings, and is reversible, the finish being the same on both sides. The attractive designs and pleasing color combinations far surpass the Oriental ideas. The wearing quality, too, is much

Sewn and matched just like carpet. Everything clean and cool-it is undoubtedly the ideal floor covering for summer cottage or for bedrooms in city or town.

We have just received a shipment of many new designs, and we should be pleased to have the privilege of showing you these new patterns. A big choice of colorings and designs, I yard wide, at, per yard, 85c., 75c., and 50¢

CHOICE SQUARES IN SAME MATERIAL HERE ALSO.

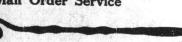
## Two Excellent Values in Parlor Tables PARLOR TABLE PARLOR TABLE

Golden Quartered Oak, highly polished, beautiful square shaped top, 17x17 in., has shelf underneath 12x12 in. French shaped legs. A very pretty style. Price \$7.50

Quartered Oak, golden finish, also in birch, mahogany finish. Top is 30x23 in., has shelf underneath. Beautiful polish. Price ..... \$5.00

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