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Checking Desk, in the Basement.

# EATON'S DAILY STORE NEWS

Already New Records  
Have Been Made for

## February Sales, and This List for Today is an Extra Good One 500 Yards Sundour Casement Cloth, Today, 63c Yard

The Drapery Department is Making New Records in Sale Offerings These Days---Take Advantage of the Savings  
Almost everybody knows Sundour Casement Cloth and how appropriate it is for sunrooms and any windows or light upholsterings exposed to strong light, and every woman will know that this is an unusual price; and it's almost unobtainable at any price. Here are 500 yards in a medium weight—plain linen finish—in rose, green, tan, brown, and some in dark blue. All 50 inches wide. For this item we cannot promise to take phone or mail orders, the quantity being limited. Sale price, today, per yard . . . . . 63



## 1,000 Yds. Bungalow Curtain Nets to Clear at Sale Price, Today, 11c Yd.

THIS WILL STAND out as one of the big surprises of the Sale, for these goods couldn't be replaced for the money—in fact, at this price there is considerable saving on every yard. These are in a good assortment of all over conventional patterns, including some in open fish net effects. 40 and 45 inches wide. White, ivory and ecru. Sale price, today, per yard . . . . . 11

### Scrim Curtains and Valance Complete, 69c

FINE WEAVE of scrim, in the ivory shade, with a pretty applique border in a dainty floral pattern in combination colors of rose and green. Curtains are 2 1/4 yards long, with a full width valance across the top. All are made with a double hem ready to shirr on the rod. Per set . . . . . 69

### Chintzes and Cretonnes, 30 in. Wide, Yard, 23c

SMALL NEAT ALLOVER patterns, in combinations of rose, blue, pink, yellow, etc. This is a new shipment of goods bought over a year ago and now marked at about cost, thereby offering an exceptional Sale value. Included in this lot are a few pieces of 50-inch goods in a handsome rose border design. Today, per yard . . . . . 23

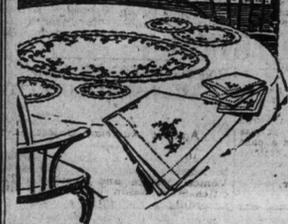
### More Curtains! Mostly Half-Price at \$1.35 Pair

THESE ARE NOTTINGHAM Lace Curtains and Scrim Curtains, 36 to 52 inches wide and 2 1/2 and 3 yards long, in white, ivory or ecru. Scrim curtains are of fine quality, fully mercerized, trimmed with neat lace edges and hemstitching or insertions. The laces are plain, floral, medallion and all over effects, woven with colbert edges. Many to choose from. Styles for any window in the lot. All reduced and mostly half-price. Today, per pair . . . . . 1.35

### Hand Made Madeira Luncheon Napkins, Today, Special, \$7.75 Doz.

HAND-MADE MADEIRA LUNCHEON NAPKINS, made by the native women, are of very fine linen, with most exquisite hand embroidery work, neatly embroidered in one corner, and finished with scalloped edge. This is a most unusual offer, made possible by a fortunate purchase which was enacted some months ago, and it would be impossible to secure them at this price at the present time. Size 13 x 13. Today, special, dozen . . . . . 7.75

### ALL LINEN SCOTCH Damask Hemstitched Table Cloths, having good border designs and of splendid wearing quality. Size 64 x 86. Special, each . . . . . 5.65



### Carload of Wall Papers, Clearing at 5c to 25c Single Roll

IT WILL CERTAINLY pay to anticipate requirements in Wall Paper and buy at these prices, for these are all very special values, and the variety includes papers for almost any room or hall. These papers will be in special display today. Bring the measurements of your rooms and salesmen will figure quantity required. Included in this carload sale lot are:



FLORAL CHINTZ and Stripe Bedroom Papers in pink, blue, yellow and mauve shades on white or grey backgrounds. Fancy floral borders to match. Single roll . . . . . 10  
Borders, sale price, yard . . . . . 5 to 10  
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RICH BROWN AND OLIVE Green Ground Stripe Papers, with fancy cut-out border for top and base. Suitable for lower rooms or halls. Single roll . . . . . 25  
Borders, yard . . . . . 15  
PINK GROUND PAPER, in two-tone and figured stripe patterns with fancy floral or conventional cut-out borders with base to match. Suitable for lower rooms or halls. Sale price, single roll . . . . . 17 1/2  
Borders, yard . . . . . 7 1/2  
SILK-FINISH PARLOR Papers, in stripe or floral effects, soft grey, green, cream on bright grounds. Sale price, single roll . . . . . 20  
Borders, yard . . . . . 12 1/2

### White Bath Towels, Today, 48c

FRINGED WHITE BATH TOWELS, of good strong quality that should give plenty of wear. They are 21 x 36 in. size. This is a splendid opportunity to replenish your supply of good serviceable bath towels. The quantity is limited. Come early. Special, pair . . . . . 48

Light Slate  
Copper Green  
Dark Slate  
Gold Brown  
Pearl  
Yellow  
White  
Silver Grey  
French Grey  
The price, per quart . . . . . 59

### Paint--Buy What You Need Now--at 59c Quart

Take advantage of the holiday to do a little interior painting. Buy your paints today  
PAINT IS a beautifier and a preservative, and when the warm days of spring come round there's a general demand for paint. By taking advantage of this Sale special in paint you'll save considerably by your foresight, and you'll have it ready. Thousands of quarts of reliable ready-mixed paint are offered in this Sale at a price that cannot be repeated, for since this paint was purchased, paint prices have advanced three times.



## As a War Measure--- Two Deliveries Per Day

Until further notice we shall make only two deliveries per day where we formerly made three deliveries.

## The Special Sale of Manufacturer's Samples and Odd Lots of Electric Fixtures Continues Today

THE TWO ILLUSTRATED are representative of the values. Don't miss this event, for the savings are worth coming for. There's so few of a kind that we cannot give much detail. Fixture on left is a three-light fixture with 12-inch fancy reeded border pan, drop of thirty inches, and reeded bell design, frosted shades. This fixture is finished in brush brass Flemish, and is suitable for living-room, sitting-room or den. Sale price, fixture and shades . . . . . 7.95  
5-LIGHT ELECTRIC SHOWER on right is in the new burnt brass finish, and each socket is covered with fancy tulip design husks, which permits use of frosted bulbs or shades. The fancy band is suspended by chain. Sale price, fixture only . . . . . 15.25



We will install above fixtures in the city free of charge. Insulators, if required, and permit extra. On sale, Basement.

### THE T. EATON CO LIMITED

### EXCHANGES AND REFUNDS IMPORTANT NOTICE

Commencing Tuesday, Feb. 12th, Store purchases may be exchanged in the usual way at the Department Exchange Office within ten days from date of purchase if accompanied by the bill. Should there be reason to exceed the ten-day period, or should the bill be missing, it will be necessary to apply for exchange at the Adjusting Bureau, Basement.

### RETAIN SATURDAY AS HEATLESS DAY

As Long as Order is Carried Out, No Individual Firm Will Suffer Loss.

### STATEMENT ISSUED

### Fuel-Controller Will Meet Theatrical Managers in a Reasonable Spirit.

Ottawa, Feb. 6.—Mr. C. W. Peterson, deputy fuel controller, in a statement given out today, deals with the communications which have been received in connection with the order suspending manufacturing plants for three days, etc., and appeals to all classes concerned to give loyal support to the plan to conserve coal. The statement follows:  
"The statement has been made in the press that the present closing order was practically forced upon the fuel controller by the United States authorities. The action taken by the fuel controller was considered absolutely on its merits. The recent unopposed spell of cold weather, the south of the line, is responsible for the somewhat precipitate action which was found necessary to take. The fuel controller was most anxious to give the country as much warning as possible in connection with a measure as drastic in its nature as this, but the situation that developed precluded all possibility of doing so. We have, of course, been deluged

with telegraphic communications and letters bearing on this order. These, however, have presented no differences whatever from an administrative point of view. Very few actual protests have been received, but interpretation of the regulations as they affect the peculiar conditions surrounding each individual line of business or industry are being dealt with as promptly as circumstances permit. It is entirely no doubt whatever that on Saturday morning no doubt will exist in the mind of anyone as to what his duties and responsibilities are under the closing order.

Position of Theatres.  
"Some protests against Monday closing have been received from theatrical managers and organizations. It is pointed out that the United States fuel administrator consented to theatrical closing on Tuesdays instead of Mondays as provided in Mr. Garrison's original closing order. From a point of view of conservation, of course, it makes absolutely no difference whatever whether places of amusement are closed on Mondays or on Tuesdays. I may, however, point out that the reason why the change was made in the United States was due to the fact that a general closing order was in effect there covering Monday and Tuesday. Theatrical managers in carrying out a measure that has received the deepest consideration at his hands, and which he deems to be absolutely necessary in the national interest."

Retailers Confer.  
A deputation of retail merchants of Ottawa, headed by Henry Waters, president of the Dominion Board of Retail Merchants' Association, and E. M. Trowen, secretary, waited upon Deputy Fuel Controller Peterson at noon today.

Mr. Peterson said that the order was almost identical with that put into force in the United States. Across the border all stores were closed. It would be unfair to others, he said, if stores in a position to burn wood or which have to be heated on account

of sprinkling systems were allowed to remain open.

Mr. Peterson announced that he had just been in communication with Hon. Arthur Meighen, acting minister of trade and commerce, and an amending order would be issued providing that "no coal or wood" should be burned. The amended order would apply to all centres except such towns as Windsor, where natural gas is used for heating. This introduced a discussion on the position of Windsor, Ont., where both natural gas and coal are used.

Mr. Peterson remarked that the closing order was not a positive one and suggested that the retailers' association should ask Windsor retailers to observe its provisions. Mr. Trowen promised that this would be done.

Endorse the Order.  
At the close of the conference the retailers held an informal meeting and passed the following resolution: "That the Retail Merchants' Association, in view of the present shortage of coal, unanimously endorses the movement of the fuel controller to conserve the use of fuel and recommends that all retailers throughout the country heartily co-operate by observing the order, which after a conference with the deputy fuel controller is interpreted to mean that all retail stores should be closed."

The question was raised by one of the deputation as to whether banks are to be allowed to remain open. Mr. Peterson said that the order was very positive. The banks were to act as on service holidays. They were to take no deposits or any banking transactions, except to protect obligations which were due on the days to which it applies.

Story of Pending Resignation Absolutely News to Lord Derby  
London, Feb. 6.—Questioned today regarding the report that his resignation as secretary for war was imminent, the Earl of Derby said: "Anything may happen, but it is absolutely news to me."

### ECONOMIC PERILS MENACE RUSSIA

### Socialist Labor Commissioner Admits Gravity of Conditions.

### UNEMPLOYMENT RIFE

### Public Works Organized to Provide Men With Means of Livelihood.

Petrograd, Feb. 6.—"The economic condition of Russia is grave, very grave," M. Shilapnikov, the commissioner of labor, declared to the Associated Press correspondent today.

"We are now going thru the transition period from war to peace," continued the commissioner. "This is a most difficult period in better organized countries and particularly difficult in Russia. The difficulty is aggravated by the fact that neither the emperor's nor Kerensky's governments regulated the industries."

Asked to what extent unemployment existed in Russia, the commissioner replied: "Of course unemployment is considerable, but it is difficult to give the number of the unemployed. The army demobilization is increasing their number, but only temporarily, as most of the soldiers are returning to the villages, where they will take up the lands."  
"In a worse plight are the unemployed among the educated, tens of thousands of them, mostly officials, bank clerks and others."  
"To solve the unemployment problem we are organizing public works, such as sanitation work, building construction, wood-cutting, peat-digging, etc."  
Working Day Eight Hours.  
As to the hours of work and the pay

### PLOTTED BANK TO DRAW FRANCE TO GERMANY

### Bolo Pasha Planned Big Financial Fabric Headed by Pope's Late Brother.

Paris, Feb. 6.—At the resumption today of the trial of Bolo Pasha before the high court on a charge of treason, M. Casella, a newspaper writer, testified as to how Bolo Pasha obtained the confidence of Sedik Pasha, chief of the Egyptian Cabinet under Hilmi Pasha, the former khedive. Sedik Pasha, the witness said, was invited to dinner with many other notables and at this function Bolo Pasha displayed intimate friendship with Fernand Moner, ex-president of the Paris court of appeals, and Louis J. Matvy, former French minister of the interior.

Thru Sedik Pasha, M. Casella declared, Bolo Pasha became a trusted agent of the ex-khedive, who gave him a secret cipher of the Egyptian court, which enabled Bolo to inform the khedive of the acquittal of Madame Joseph Calliaux at her trial in the summer of 1914 for the killing of Editor Calmette.

One of Bolo Pasha's projects, the witness testified, was to bring about the formation of a Catholic bank with the aid of the Marquis Jules della Chiesa, a brother of Pope Benedict, and the ex-khedive of Egypt at its head, and which was to have for its purpose, he asserted, the drawing together of France and Germany.  
SWEETING EFFECT IN BROCKVILLE.  
Brockville, Feb. 6.—The heatless days for coal conservation will have a sweeping effect upon local industries and business generally. Merchants feel keenly the Saturday closing. The only institutions allowed to remain in operation here will be those of the Whyte Packing Co. and the Loring Produce and Cold Storage Co., which are essentially food-producing industries.