

THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR ST. JOHN, N. B., WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1911

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Men's \$2.00 to \$3.50.
Boys' \$1.50 to \$2.50.
Womens' \$1.50 to \$2.50.
Girls' \$1.25 to \$2.00.
The "Hold-Up" Ankle Support will not stretch—a new wrinkle of our own—25 Cts.

Waterbury & Rising, Limited.

NYAL'S HIRSUTONE

The Antiseptic Hair Tonic. Removes dandruff and stops falling of the hair. Price 50 cents and \$1.00 a bottle. For sale by **SAMUEL H. HAWKER, DRUGGIST** Cor. Mill Street and Paradise Row

A CHRISTMAS MESSAGE Beautiful Boxed Stationery.

The gift of a box of select stationery will give pleasure to the recipient and will suggest your thoughtfulness for many days to come. Send a box of this stationery to the absent one. Our stock shows the latest of design, texture and tint boxed in a handsome manner.

25 cents to \$2.00 per box. **PORTER'S DRUG STORE** Corner St. Patrick and Union Streets

BRASS GOODS

Never before have we bought such an extensive range of articles made of brass. These are proving most attractive to our customers, and we would suggest your seeing them at once.

Included are the following :

Jardiniers, bright and brush brass from \$1.50 to \$8.50
Vases, dull and hammered 1.10 to 3.50
Fern Dishes, round 1.00 to 6.50
Picture Frames, round or square .40 to 5.00
Book Racks 1.50 to 4.75
Candlesticks, all sizes Pair 1.35 to 3.25
Desk Sets 7.00 to 18.75
Plate Stands, large 5.50 to 7.25
Plate Stands, table size 2.75 to 5.00
Brass Trays, oval, square and round 1.00 to 6.75
Baskets, Jewel Boxes, Tobacco Jars, Cigarette Boxes, Smokers' Sets, Tea Caddys, Ash Trays, Inkstands, Pen Trays, Umbrella Stands, Magazine Holders, Etc.

Be Sure and Visit Our Stores

W.H. Thorne & Co. Ltd
Market Square and King St.

MUCH DONE BY THE UNITED IRISHWOMEN

Countess of Aberdeen Assisting in the Work of the Society

HOPE AND PROSPERITY

Marked Improvement Shown Along Various Lines and There is no Suggestion of Charity in it—Reviving Village Gaiety—Helping Emigrant Girls

(Times Special Correspondence.)

Dublin, Nov. 25.—Visitors to rural Ireland during the last year or two have been deeply impressed by the change that has come over the villages. Part of this is due to the construction of the new laborers' cottages which have replaced the old thatched hovels, but it is much more the result of the work of the United Irishwomen, which is really a branch of the Irish Agricultural Organization Society, founded by Sir Horace Plunkett. The United Irishwomen were organized first three or four years ago and probably no society ever has accomplished so much in so short a time.

They have just been holding a meeting in Dublin to talk over the work done and make plans for the future. The Countess of Aberdeen, wife of the viceroy, was present at most of the sessions, and has promised to do all in her power to forward the work of the society, which is entirely non-political.

While the I. A. O. S. deals with the farmers and farm laborers of Ireland and with the male workers generally, the United Irishwomen look after the women and children. There is a committee of the society in nearly every village whose duty it is to keep in touch with the people. The members visit the laborers' wives in their homes, teach them economical methods of cooking and the use of new food materials, instruct them in sewing and mending, and in general show them how to make the most of the resources at their command. They also teach them how to increase these resources by the proper care of poultry and pigs, the grading and packing of eggs and by sewing, lace-making and embroidery.

A significant statement was made at the Dublin meeting last week. One speaker deplored the fact that cheap-furniture factories were springing up in many parts of Ireland, declaring that she feared their product would displace good home-made goods, but she withdrew her remarks when she was informed that this new industry had been created by the desire for a higher standard of comfort indicated in the village folk by the work of the United Irishwomen. The articles made by these new factories are being bought before with a minimum of furniture, and now are aware of the advantages of more comfortable living.

Another significant little incident was the statement that most farmers' and laborers' wives, at the suggestion of the United Irishwomen, had adopted the practice of greasing their eggs as soon as they were collected. This is a trifling matter, but really it is of immense importance. A greased egg will keep fresh for months, while an ungreased one will be decidedly stale in a week or ten days. The practice

Grand Clearance Of Christmas Millinery

A Last Chance To Secure Gifts In Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats At Low Prices



We must make room in this department for a big display of Dolls, Stationery, Pen-fumery, etc., to be ready for inspection next Saturday morning. For this reason all of our millinery stock will go to make up a grand reduction sale, with prices so sharply reduced that the offerings are certain to be taken up with a rush. This will be the last chance this year to secure millinery bargains—Christmas Gifts in handsome headwear will be within your reach at but a small fraction of regular figures—so come early and choose.

Commencing Thursday Morning

UNTRIMMED HATS, the balance of our Felts, Beavers, Velvets, etc. Sale prices 25c, 50c, \$1.00

CLIPPED BEAVER OR VELOUR HATS, the now popular hat in select circles. They require practically no trimming; offered in all the late shapes in black, brown, navy, emerald and new purple. These are high class hats and the sale price is exceptionally low. Each \$3.50.

TRIMMED HATS, a choice collection of striking models, many of them expensive creations and offered at sharp reductions. Sale prices from \$1.00 up.

NO APPROPRIATION.

NO EXCHANGE.

Sale will start at 8.30 in Millinery Salon.

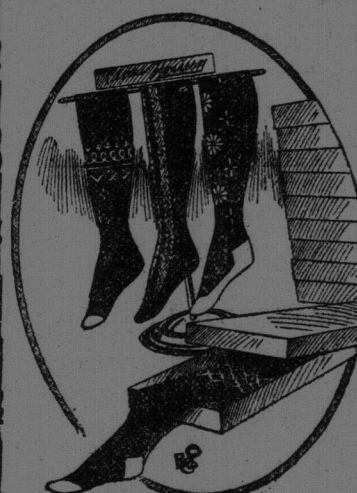
A Novelty in Floor Rugs for Gifts

We are in receipt of one dozen only Hearth Rugs, exact copy in color and design of the carpet used at Coronation of King George V. and Queen Mary. The design embodies combinations of the national emblems of England, Ireland and Scotland. Quality of a fine French Wilton. Price \$5.00 each.

Carpet Dept.—Germain Street.

MANCHESTER ROBERTSON ALLISON, LTD.

Ladies' and Children's Christmas Gift Hosiery



Ladies' Black Cashmere Hose, embroidered ankles. Pair 55c, 65c, 75c. and 90c.

Ladies' Black Lisle Hose, embroidered ankles. Pair 55c, 60c, 65c.

Ladies' Plain Black Silk Hose. Pair \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.35 to \$4.50

Ladies' Black Silk Hose, embroidered ankles. Pair \$2.70.

Ladies' Silk Hose in white, pink, sky, tan, grey. Pair \$1.65.

Ladies' Silk Hose in white, sky, pink, mauve, tan. Pair \$2.25

Ladies' Silk Hose in white, sky, and grey. Pair \$2.50.

Ladies' White Silk Hose. Pair \$3.00 and \$4.50.

Children's Silk Socks, white sky, pink, and cardinal, plain and lace ankle. Pair 40c. to 50c.

HOSIERY DEPARTMENT ANNEX

F. W. DANIEL & CO. LTD.

THE STORE OF THE CHRISTMAS SPIRIT

Such a comprehensive display of all sorts of dainty and useful gift things that it is easy to make a happy selection.

Christmas Ribbons OF ALL SORTS

To make up in imitating Openings, Work Bags, Spool Bags, and other useful plain ribbons of dainty colors or Paisley effects.

Plain Ribbons, 25c to 35c yard. Fancy Ribbons, 35c to 60c yard. Novelty Ribbons, plain ribbons, in large variety.

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