

Special Stock= Taking Sale!

In order to reduce our stock before the 15th of January, when we finalize our year's work, we make the following very special reductions on Fresh and Reasonable Goods, which we mention below. In addition to the articles named, in which the reductions range from 20c. to 25c. on the dollar, WE WILL GIVE A 10 PER CENT. REDUCTION on any article purchased for cash in our store between the dates of January 2nd and 13th. This includes everything we handle. No exception whatever.

- Underwear**
 Misses' Fleece-lined Underwear, regular price, 30c. Sale price **26c.**
 Ladies' Cream Fleece Lined Underwear, Vests, button front, nice, trim, regular 35c. Sale price **29c.**
 Ladies' White Fleece Lined Underwear, regular 60c. Sale price **47c.**
 Ladies' White Fleece-lined Corset Covers, heavy, long sleeves, regular 40c. Sale price **33c.**
 Men's Fleece-lined Underwear, good, heavy garments, regular 50c. Sale price **43c.**
 Boys' Fleece lined Underwear all sizes, 24 to 34, reg. 33c. Sale price **29c.**
- Men's and Boys' Underwear, in better qualities at greatly reduced prices.**
 Men's Heavy Grey Flannel shirts, with bands, reg. 55c. Sale price **45c.**
 Men's Heavy Grey Flannel Shirts, with collar attached, regular 75c. Sale price **60c.**
 Men's Fancy Neglige Shirts, regular price 85c. Sale price **75c.**
- Ladies' & Children's Coats.**
 25 Only Ladies' Knitted Jersey Coats, reg. \$1.60 and \$3.30 in Navy, Green and Cream. Sale prices \$1.20 and \$2.50.
 12 Ladies' Tweed Coats, reg. price \$4.00 and \$7.50 all this season's styles. Sale prices \$3.20 and \$6.00.

FURS and MUFFS.—The balance of our stock of Furs and Muffs, which include Squirrel, Marmot, Hare and Grebe, selling at three-fourths our regular price.
 If you are not interested in any of the above SPECIAL reductions, REMEMBER the TEN PER CENT DISCOUNT on any article from our stock.

STORE OPEN UNTIL 9 O'CLOCK EVERY EVENING FROM JANUARY 2nd TO 13th.

ALEX. SCOTT,
 Popular Drapery Store, 18 New Gower Street.

This is to give notice that we have purchased all the right, title, interest and good-will of the Tea Business of the H. W. De FOREST TEA CO. and Mr. F. V. CHESMAN.
 On and after January 1st, 1912, the business will be conducted from our office.
 All debts due to the said Company will therefore be payable to us.
HARVEY & COMPANY.

SLATTERY'S
 Wholesale Dry Goods House.
 WE OFFER to our Customers, the Trade and Outport Buyers, this Autumn, the best selected Stock of Dry Goods of all kinds—American and English—yet put on the market.
 See our Stock of Fleece Underwear, Muslins, Embroideries and Dress Goods before purchasing elsewhere.
W. A. SLATTERY, Slattery Build'g,
 Back north and George's Street—near City Hall.

An Impudent Proceeding

Yesterday a near-do-well who not long ago was liberated from the Penitentiary, and who while in liquor went into a house on George's Street, had the impudence to order the woman of the house to get tea for him and also a feed. The woman, of course, refused, and the man became insolent and noisy. The woman had to go to Water Street and summon the police, and when Officer Nugent arrived the intruder in the house showed fight. Nugent stood very little of this, however, and though the prisoner "kicked out" he soon hustled him to the station.

Will Make Hair Grow

Every up-to-date woman should have radiant hair.
 There are thousands of women with harsh, faded, characterless hair, who do not try to improve it.
 In England and Paris women take pride in having beautiful hair. Every Canadian woman can have lustrous and luxuriant hair by using SALVIA, the Great American Sage Hair Tonic. McMurdo & Co. sells a large bottle for 50 cents, and guarantees it to banish Dandruff, stop falling hair and itching scalp in ten days, or money back.

Hockey Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Hockey League was held at the office of Mr. W. J. Higgins last night. The reports of the last year were read and adopted. Mr. W. J. Higgins was elected President and J. M. Tobin, Secretary-Treasurer. There were representatives from the four leagues present. The Collegian team, which made application, would not be admitted. The reason alleged was that it would be impossible to get practice for a fifth team. The first match of the fixtures, Feildians vs. Victorias, will be played Monday, 15th, provided the ice will remain in good condition for practice. Mr. Higgins resigned the office of referee. The drawing of the fixtures for 1912 resulted thus:—
 Feildians vs. Victorias.
 St. Bon's vs. Crescents.
 Feildians vs. St. Bon's.
 Victorias vs. Crescents.
 St. Bon's vs. Victorias.
 Crescents vs. Feildians.
 The second round will be a relay of this.

Cascarets Work While You Sleep.

Salts, Calomel and Cathartic Pills are violent—they act on bowels as pepper acts in nostrils.
 Take a Cascaret tonight and thoroughly cleanse your Liver, Stomach and Bowels, and you will surely feel great by morning. You men and women who have headache, coated tongue, can't sleep, are bilious, nervous and upset, bothered with a sick, gassy, disordered stomach, or have backache and feel all worn out.
 Are you keeping clean inside with Cascarets—or merely forcing a passage away every few days with salts, cathartic pills or castor oil? This is important.
 Cascarets immediately cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour, undigested and fermenting food and foul gasses; take the excess bile from the liver and carry off the decomposed waste matter and poison from the intestines and bowels.
 Remember, a Cascaret at night will straighten you out by morning. A 10-cent box from your druggist means a clear head and cheerfulness for months. Don't forget the children.

Marconi Station.

Capt. Wm. Bartlett and a staff of men left for Fogo this morning by the s.s. Fogota to erect a Marconi station there. The work will occupy about four weeks. They took down three large spars which, when seized end to end and erected, will run up 200 feet. Fogo is well situated for a Marconi station and it is expected that this one will be the most useful in the Newfoundland service during the seal-fishing time. Ships that have the wireless apparatus on board should be able to communicate with the Fogo station at least 200 miles off. The station will be open for business by sealing time.

Big Sea and Undertow.

All yesterday a big sea ran in the Narrows breaking right across there, and occasionally it went over the high land at the North Head. The undertow in the harbour rendered it dangerous to leave ships at the piers and several were hauled into the stream yesterday afternoon. The Fogota, Galveston, Solway and Stephano were hauled out in the centre of the harbor. The latter did some damage to Harvey & Co's pier. The pilots could not proceed beyond Chain Rock owing to the high sea which ran.
 Binard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

Cable News.

Special to Evening Telegram.
 TANGIER, Jan. 5.

A large force of revolting Moroccan tribesmen, according to a wireless from Fez, attacked a town four days' journey to the south of the capital. The garrison of the town, under the command of French officers, offered a gallant defence, and finally succeeded in repulsing the enemy and making them retreat to the desert, leaving fifty dead. The garrison lost five killed and fifteen wounded.

Special to Evening Telegram.
 ARMAGH, Ireland, Jan. 5.

A meeting to protest against Home Rule was held to-day, at which thousands attended. Sir Edward Carson was the principal speaker, and referring to his position in resisting the Home Rule Bill, said if he was a rebel it could be tested in the law courts. "If," said Carson, "my determination that Ireland should remain a part of the United Kingdom means that I am a rebel, I plead guilty, and let the government do its worst."

Special to Evening Telegram.
 CALCUTTA, Jan. 5.

King George and Queen Mary witnessed a great pageant in their honor to-day. Two processions, in which were fifty elephants and hundreds of camels and horses and state cars, passed the King and Queen. More than 100,000 natives took part, and gave their Majesties an ovation.

Special to Evening Telegram.
 LONDON, Jan. 5.

There is reason to believe that the general conditions of a peace settlement between Italy and Turkey have already been arranged, says the Salonika correspondent of the Times, and that the near future will see a termination of hostilities.

Special to Evening Telegram.
 LONDON, Jan. 5.

The detachment of British troops sent to protect the railway at Canton, and who returned to Tien Tsin because the line of march was interrupted, has started again along with the German detachment.

Special Evening Telegram.
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Following the action of the Ulster Unionists in declaring that they would not accept Home Rule, and would set up a separate government, sensational rumors are in circulation, that Orangemen are preparing to resist Home Rule by force of arms. It is asserted that, despite precautions, drilling is going on in Ulster on an extensive scale.

Special Evening Telegram.
 WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.

Carnegie has consented to appear before the Steel Trust investigation committee as a witness, at their request.

Penholders and Diphtheria.

Dr. Thresh, medical officer of health for Essex, has traced the origin of seventeen cases of diphtheria at Writtle, near Chelmsford, to the indiscriminate use of penholders by school children, and suggests that penholders and pencils should be placed in a better disinfectant to discourage children from putting them into their mouths.

The Secret of a Good Complexion

This is the season for evening parties, social events, etc. Why not look your best? Why let your complexion suffer by contrast with other ladies? Why not ensure a good complexion? You can do this on sound, natural lines by using Zam-Buk, nature's herbal balm.
 Zam-Buk is a skin food; and complexion is purely a matter of skin health. Zam-Buk smeared lightly over the face each night acts as a skin tonic. It stimulates the cells beneath the cuticle to healthy action, makes the capillaries and blood vessels work, and the vigorous circulation thus started carries away secreted impurities. Waxy, sallow deposits are thus removed. Hard, pimply growths are softened and disappear. That yellow tinge gives place to the pink of health and the white, velvety "look" and "feel" which healthy skin alone has.
 Isn't this wiser than relying upon talcum powder and cosmetics? Those only put on a "complexion" from the outside. It doesn't last. Zam-Buk helps nature to build up a complexion from blood and tissue. It lasts.
 Zam-Buk also cures skin diseases: pimples, ulcers, abscesses, blood-poison, eruptions, cuts, burns, scalds, chapped places, scalp sores, piles, etc. 50c. box all druggists and stores, or Zam-Buk Co., St. John's, Nfld., but beware of harmful substitutes and imitations.

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Here and There.

COLLEGE WILL OPEN.—Spencer College will re-open next Tuesday.

BISHOP FEILD COLLEGE.—Re-opens on Tuesday, January 9th, at 9.15 a.m.—Jan. 21

LAID TO REST.—The funeral of the late Miss Susan Cook, who died of diphtheria at the Hospital, Thursday last, took place last evening from the Hospital to the C. of E. Cemetery.

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 NANKING, Jan. 5.
 Perfect order now prevails in this city.

Dr. de Van's Female Pills
 A reliable French regulator; never fails. These pills are exceedingly powerful in regulating the generative portion of the female system. Refuse all cheap imitations. Dr. de Van's are sold at all drug stores. Mailed to any address The Seabell Drug Co., St. Catharines, Ont.

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PATIENT FOR HOSPITAL.—Mr. R. Dewling, of Trinity East, came in by the express yesterday and was taken to the Hospital by Mr. E. Whiteway. He is suffering from a growth in the neck and is very ill.

WITH THE ADVENTISTS.—A False Cry of Universal Peace.—Elder C. H. Keslake will preach upon this important subject at the Adventist Church, Cookstown Road, to-morrow night. Seats free. A welcome to all.

THANKS.—The Christian Brothers, Mt. St. Francis, acknowledge with sincere thanks the receipt of \$500 from the executors of the late A. Marshall, Esq., as a bequest towards the Education of boys in accordance with the Will of the Testator.—adv.11

HEALTH REPORT.—A resident of Signal Hill developed diphtheria yesterday. There are four cases of scarlet fever in one family on Dunford Street and one case at 92 Barnes Road. Two patients with scarlet fever were removed from their residence, foot of Pleasant St., to the Hospital yesterday.

HEAVY SNOW FALL.—Not for 20 years have the people of the North Shore witnessed such a snow fall as that of the past three days. The roads are blocked in all directions and traffic suspended. The mailman could not connect with the Carbonara train, an incident which has not been noted for years.

Lieutenant-General Sir Robert Baden-Powell distributing the prizes at "arpenters" Hall recently in connection with the Trades Training Schools, said that having travelled a good deal he knew how good foreigners were in their own particular line, but they had not the imagination, self-reliance, and adaptiveness natural to the British-born man.
 At Matfield they had to make a gun out of nothing and ammunition out of less—(laughter)—but there were British handicraftsmen to do it, and they were not at a loss. They first pulled a steam-pipe out of an engine to make the bore, and then took down iron railings, heated them up, and welded them round the pipe to strengthen it.

Week of Prayer.

Next week will be observed throughout the world as the Week of Prayer. United services will be held each evening, except Saturday, under the auspices of the Methodist, Presbyterian and Congregational Churches of the city. The programme is as follows:—
Monday, 8 p.m.—Presbyterian Church. Speaker, Rev. Dr. Rogers.
Tuesday, 8 p.m.—Cochrane Street Methodist Church. Speaker, Rev. J. W. Bartlett. Also, same evening, at Wesley Methodist Church. Speaker, Rev. J. Thackeray.
Wednesday, 8 p.m.—Congregational Church. Speaker, Rev. F. R. Matthews, B.A.
Thursday, 8 p.m.—George St. Methodist Church. Speaker, Rev. J. S. Sutherland, M.A.
Friday, 8 p.m.—Gower St. Methodist Church. Speaker, Rev. W. H. Webster.

Mrs. Gould Returns Thanks
 The following letter was received from Mrs. Gould, of Flower's Cove, by the last mail:—
 Editor Evening Telegram.
 Dear Sir,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of thirty-four dollars and fifty cents which you so kindly collected through the subscription list you opened in your columns.
 Words fail me to express my thanks to you and the kind donors who so generously subscribed their money for me, a stranger. I am sure that God, who has promised a reward for every cup of cold water given in His name, will abundantly shower His choicest blessings on my kind benefactors. It was indeed a welcome gift to me in my distress.
 I have also to thank you from the bottom of my heart for your kind gift of a pair of boots.
 Asking you to thank my kind benefactors through the columns of your paper, and praying that God may bless both you and them.
 Believe me,
 Your humble servant,
 (MRS.) MARY JANE GOULD,
 Flower's Cove, Straits, November 28, 1911.

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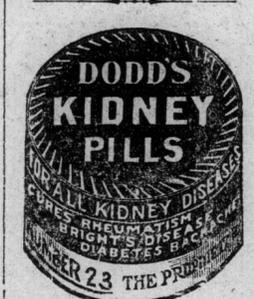
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Civilization Nearly Killed Aborigine.

Aborigine Made Dangerously Ill By Steam Heat and Modern Comforts.

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 26.—Steam heated sleeping apartments, modern menus, and "new fangled" wearing apparel came near bringing about the undoing of Ishi, the Aborigine, from Tehama county, who has been in captivity several months.
 Ishi recently contracted pneumonia and for a time it looked as though the "untamed child of nature" would die. While he had roamed, half clad through the forests of Northern Carolina in all kinds of weather, subsisting on berries, roots and rudely prepared meals, Ishi was a stranger to illness. But two months of illness undermined the savage's health and but for the efforts of physicians Ishi probably would have journeyed to the happy hunting ground. He is still confined to his room, but is reported to be out of danger.

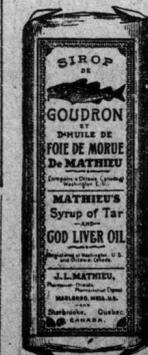


C. M. B. C.—To-morrow afternoon after the usual session of the Cathedral Men's Bible Class, the annual meeting will take place, when various reports will be read and a new committee elected. The Chairman, Rev. J. Bell, will give a brief address on the motto for the year. All members are earnestly requested to be present at 3 o'clock.

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CHARLOTTETOWN, P.E.I., July 27, 1908.
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SYDNEY, C.B., July 20, 1908.
 Dear Sirs,—Yours of the 22nd inst. received for testimonial for Mathieu's Syrup. I have handled Mathieu's Syrup for one year, and find it one of the best sellers in a cough medicine that I have ever handled. I am ordering one gross from your traveler to-day, as I sold the last bottle in stock yesterday.
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