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1912 **GILBERT'S** 1918

6th., Anniversary Sale Commences Friday January 25th, 1918 At 10 a. m.

The Mark-downs w e advertise at this Anniversary Sale are all good values. War conditions make it absolutely certain that present prices can never again be realized. We believe that our Sixth Anniversary Sale, January, 1918, can't be secured anywhere at such prices.
Real bargains are scarce—the public should watch and seize every good thing offered by us.

We will offer 50 Boys' Suits—Sizes 26 to 35. Regular value, $4.50, $5.00 and $6.00 ..... For $1.98
We will offer Ladies' Silk Waists—Sizes 36 to 44. Regular value, $1.25 and $1.50 ..... For 94c.
Ladies' White Shaker Nightgowns—Regular $1.25 ..... For 94c.
Ladies' Striped Shaker Nightgowns—Good value ..... For 83c.
Ladies' Extra Heavy Shaker Nightgowns—Regular $1.35 and $1.50 ..... For $1.08
Ladies' Cotton Nightgowns—Fancy trimmed ..... From 59c. up
Ladies' Shirtwaists—All sizes. Regular $1.00 ..... A Special, 49c.
Ladies' Shirtwaists—All sizes. Regular $1.25 ..... Sale Price, 83c.

STOCKINGS

Ladies' fine Cotton Stockings, regular 25c ..... Sale price, 18c. pair
Ladies' fine Cashmerette Stockings, regular 25c. and 30c ..... 23c. pair
Ladies' extra heavy Fleece Lined Stockings, regular 35c. and 40c ..... 32c.
Ladies' All Cashmere Stockings, regular 50c ..... 44c.
Boy's and Girl's Stockings at Special Anniversary Sale Prices.

CORSETS

Regular 85c. and $1 Corsets ..... Sale price, 79c.
Regular $1 and $1.25 Corsets ..... Sale price, 89c.
Regular $1.25 and $1.50 Corsets ..... Sale price, $1.12
Corset Covers, regular 25c. and 35c ..... Sale price, 22c.
Corset Covers, regular 40c., 50c., 65c ..... Sale price, 33c.
Ladies' fine knit Corset Covers, regular value 45c ..... Sale price, 32c.
Underwear, ladies, regular 45c. garment ..... Sale price, 39c.
Extra heavy Fleece Lined Ladies' Underwear, regular 85c. and $1 ..... 69c. gar.
Ladies' Middies, ... From 69c. up
At special offer—Comfortables, regular $2 and $2.25 ..... $1.69
House Dresses, at special offer ..... From 79c. up
All-over Aprons, regular 70c. and 75c ..... 62c.
Ladies' Half Aprons, regular 35c. and 40c. ..... 29c.
Ladies' white Tea Aprons, regular 30c ..... 19c.

Prices Mean Nothing—You Must See the Merchandize

SHAKER

Such Shaker as these are not ordinarily found in sales, but our Sixth Anniversary Sale is an event.

White Shaker, regular 15c., 18c. and 20c. a yard ..... Sale price, 13c.
Striped Shaker, regular 15c., 18c. and 20c. yard ..... Sale price, 13c.
Cottons, unbleached, regular 15c. and 17c. yard ..... Sale price, 13c. yard, 2 for 25c.
White Cotton, regular 15c. and 17c. yard ..... Sale price, 13c. yard, 2 for 25c.
Bath Towels, regular 30c. pair ..... 22c. pair

CURTAINS FROM 43c. PAIR UP

In spite of prices having advanced the past year we have revised prices downward. We feel certain that our values are the best in our establishment.

NOW, MEN, LOOK!—SHIRTS, SOCKS, UNDERWEAR

Stanfield's, men's, regular $1.25 and $1.50 ..... Sale price, $1.19
Penman's wool, regular $1.25 garment ..... Sale price, 89c.
Penman's fleece lined, regular 85c. and $1.00 ..... 79c.
Socks, regular 25c ..... 18c. pair
Men's grey wool, regular 25c ..... 18c. pair
Men's grey wool, regular 25c. and 30c ..... 24c. pair
Men's grey wool, regular 35c. and 40c ..... 29c. pair
Men's grey wool, regular 40c. and 50c ..... 39c. pair
Dress Shirts ..... From 59c. up
Men's Working Shirts ..... From 49c. up
Men's Working Pants ..... From $1.69
Men's Overalls, black or blue ..... $1.23 gar.
Peabody's, regular $2.25 and $2.50 ..... $2.09 gar.
Men's Working Gloves, Mitts, Woollen Mitts or Gloves all at Anniversary Sale Prices.

Everything is going up, and next year all these goods will cost you more, so get the habit—Trade at

GILBERT'S 47 BRUSSELS STREET

HEAD OF BRUSSELS ST.

1912-- —Phone Main 2725-11—For Your Own Good Be On Time—Opening Evenings --1918

CHURCHES HEAR YEARLY REPORTS

St. David's Holds Adjourned Meeting; Congregational Church to Continue Next Week; St. Colomba's Annual Meeting

So varied and numerous are the activities of St. David's Presbyterian church that it was found imposible to complete the business of the year at the annual meeting last week and the deferred business, including the reception of a large number of reports, was dealt wtih at an adjourned meeting last evening. A. R. Melrose presided and James MacMurray acted as secretary.

After conducting the devotional exercises the minister, Rev. J. A. MacKeigan, referred to some of the features of the church work which had proved their value. During the year the congregation had secured the services of a trained deaconess and the minister testified to his appreciation of her quiet and unostentaious, but effective work, which he regarded as no small contribution to the moral and spiritual uplift of the city. Much of her work was of a preventative character and therefore not at all spectacular but the need for such work was emphasized by several tragedies which had occurred among young women in the city during the year. Mr. MacKeigan also spoke warmly of the work among boys carried on under the direction of A. R. Crookshank, a work of particular value at a time when war conditions have encouraged the increase of juvenile delinquency. That the efforts of the church on behalf of the soldiers were worth while, he said, was shown by the letters of appreciation received by every mail from soldiers who have left St. John for the front. The action of the church in supporting their own misionary in Korea, the work of the Sunday school, mission bands and women's organizations were commented on with warm appreciation by the minister.

The fourteenth annual report of Miss Jennie Robb, the church's missionary in Korea, giving a detailed account of her work there, was read by Rev. Mr. MacKeigan, and Robert Reid submitted the financial report for this work showing increased contributions.

Members Give Lives.

Robert Reid, superintendent, presented the report of the Sunday school, showing an enrollment of 334, with an average attendance for the last quarter of 224, wtih receipts of $320.68 for misionary purposes and $288.12 for other purposes. He referred to the fact that many of the classes are organized as clubs, that the duplex envelope system has been introduced, that a large number of scholars and two teachers had enlisted and that three former members had been killed in action and one reported missing during the year.

For the boys' organization, the Knight of King Arthur, A. R. Crookshank presented a report showing considerable activity, including weekly meetings, standard efficiency tests, annual camp, etc. Six of the members are in uniform and one was killed during the year.

The soldiers' reception committee reported holding two receptions each week during the winter months besides entertainments at the convalescent home. The sum of $254.49 had been expended for this work and there was a small balance unpaid. In adopting the report, the congregation tendered this committee a hearty vote of thanks.

The report of the junior mission bands told of missionary and Red Cross work accomplished and of $87 raised for foreign and $45 for home missions.

An active year was reported by Mrs. A. W. Petch on behalf of the Women's Missionary Society, an organization of sixty-five active members.

E. H. Cameron reported for the Young People's Association that eleven regular and two special meetings had been held, the meetings having proved of great interest and value. The year was marked by the thirtieth anniversary of the society.

The Brotherhood reported three public meetings during the year and much valuable work accomplished by the personal work, publicity and ushering committees and among the boys and soldiers.

The tennis club reported an end of its activities as a result of the fire which had destroyed its equipment and a small deficit was referred to the trustees board for consideration.

Miss Gladys Fowler reported for the Young Women's Band of Willing Workers that the forty-nine members had raised $146.16 for missionary purposes and had met regularly for the study of missions.

Red Cross Branch.

One of the new organisations in connection with the church which proved its worth during the year was the St. David's branch of the Red Cross Society, the report of which was presented by Mrs. C. W. McMulkin. The society had met every Wednesday afternoon, and during the year had made 671 pairs of socks, 885 suits of pajamas, 128 hospital shirts, 1,517 towels, besides a large number of other articles for the soldiers. At the time of the Halifax disaster they had made a large number of hospital garments, bandages, children's garments and other articles for the sufferers. Their cutting committee also met each Thursday. Receipts for the year were $392.16. In adopting the report surprise and gratification at the extent of the work accomplished were expressed by members of the congregation.

A committee was appointed to arrange for the publication of the proceedings and reports in the year book.

St. Colomba, Fairville.

The annual meeting of the St. Colomba Presbyterian church was held last evening, Rev. W. McN. Townshend in the chair, and Miss Muriel Somerville acting as secretary for the meeting which was well attended. Reports from the various societies in connection with the church were given. The Sunday school was reported on by James E. Bryant, the superintendent, who stated that the school had gained over any previous year in both attendance and giving. Miss Townshend read a report from the Women's Missionary Society from Miss Cale, who was absent, showing that the society had been more successful than in any previous year. The ladies' aid society report was read by Mrs. Archibald Cameron, treasurer, and the young people's society was verbally reported on by Albert E. Cox. James Irvine, treasurer of the session fund, reported an increase and Rev. Mr. Townshend reported on behalf of the session, showing that the missionary givings presented a substantial increase not only in the number of subscriptions, but also in the number of subscribers, and they had now come well within the necessary alotment expected of the church. A report of the financial condition of the church was read by James E. Bryant, secretary-treasurer.

The following trustees were then elected: John Baird, chairman, James E. Bryant, secretary-treasurer; Joseph Semple, Daniel Campbell, Thomas Snodgrass, William Stinson, Oliver Stinson, Fred Morrow, Samuel Galbraith, John Galey and George W. Donaldson. The latter has been for the past three years with the Canadians overseas, but the congregation has consistently elected him a trustee while absent.

Votes of thanks were extended unanimously for the efficient and painstaking performance of church duties by Mr. Bryant, Mr. Cox and Miss Kate Fox, organist. A standing vote of thanks was also extended by the congregation to the ladies.

At the conclusion of the business of the evening musical selections were rendered by Arthur Doherty, Miss Sadie Cougle, Miss Amy French and Purdy Cougle. Refreshments were then served and the meeting adjourned.

Congregational Unfinished.

The annual meeting of the Congregational church was held in the Sunday school room of the Calvin Presbyterian church last evening. Robert A. Johnson was in the chair and J. W. Flewelling acted as secretary. Owing to a discussion on a matter of immediate interest the meeting was adjourned a week to finish the business. Reports were read by the secretary, J. W. Flewelling, and the treasurer, Mrs. D. E. MacMichael, showing progress.

The board of trustees was re-elected as follows: Robert A. Johnson, chairman; J. W. Flewelling, secretary; C. H. Flewelling, C. G. Flewelling, O. Tracy, James Cunningham, W. S. Sergeant, Mrs. G. B. Thomas and Mrs. D. E. MacMichael. C. G. Flewelling read the report of the Sunday school, showing a promising increase in attendance and collections.

BELGIAN GOVERNMENT'S PEACE TERMS

Havre, Jan. 23—The Belgian government's terms of peace, so far as they concern Belgium, herself set forth in her reply to Pope Benedict's peace note, made public today, are in substance absolute political economic and territorial independence.

Basel, Switzerland, Jan. 23—In the Austrian chamber of deputies a Vienna despatch says, Premier Von Seydler was interpellated by German and Czech deputies, respecting a resolution adopted at Prague demanding the independence of the Bohemians. The premier declared the resolution was unpatriotic.

ANGLICAN AND GREEK CHURCHES FRATERNIZE

New York, Jan. 24—High dignitaries of the Orthodox churches in the East mingled with Anglican clergymen in a procession at a special service in Trinity Church this afternoon, which marked the opening of the annual meeting of the Anglican and Eastern Association, formed for promoting intercommunion between the two sects. In the procession were the Greek Archbishop Gamanos, representing the Patriarch of Antioch, and clerical representatives of the Syrian, Serbian and Russian churches. In his sermon, Bishop Parker declared that "in this American melting pot, with the keen, wide-awake American sympathies for fellowmen, we have a great opportunity to prepare for the union of Christian churches, for which Christ calls than we have ever had before."

SWAP MACHINE GUNS FOR PLAYING CARD'

London, Jan. 24—A telegram fro Berne to the Morning Post says:

News has reached here from Hollar that German traders have already take advantage of the situation in Russia ar have erected 400 booths at convenie spots along and in closest proximity the Russian front.

It appears that the Russian soldie are most anxious to obtain playing card and they readily barter a machine gu for a pack of cards.

Rifle as Souvenir.

Washington, Jan. 24—The first Ame icanized Enfield rifle turned out at th Winchester plant for American troop abroad was presented yesterday to Presi dent Wilson as a personal souvenir. Th president was told the rifles are bein made at the rate of 2,000 a day.

MUTT AND JEFF—JEFF HAD OLD KID WEBSTER HANGING ON THE ROPES

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