



## Interesting News of Costumes, Jackets, Children's Coats and Raincoats

Our buyers were in the European markets two months later than usual and were able to make some very desirable purchases. The largest manufacturers are now making up for Spring, and we're glad of the opportunity to make up their left-over pieces of cloths to our order and we consider ourselves more than usually fortunate to have had the opportunity of making this arrangement and to be able to offer at the commencement of a season values that we could not offer in the usual way. These garments were made up to our order, and every style is correct.



### Women's Costumes at \$14.50, \$16.75, \$20

**WOMEN'S COSTUMES**, in French Venetian: colors, navy, black and green. Long coat, semi-fitting, with single breasted cutaway front, roll collar and cuffs finished with stitching. Skirt circular cut. Price . . . **\$14.50**

**WOMEN'S COSTUMES**, in plain Venetian cloth: colors, navy and black. Coat semi-fitting, 32 inches long, with single breasted front, trimmed with jet buttons, skirt circular cut with buttons to match coat. Price . . . **\$16.75**

**WOMEN'S COSTUMES**, in French diagonal serge: colors blue, brown, black, wisteria, green and tweed effect. Coats semi-tight, 44 inches long, single breasted with black jet buttons, skirts pleated from a deep yoke. Price . . . **\$20.00**

### Women's Coats at \$6.75, \$10, \$12.50

**WOMEN'S COATS** in dark grey English cheviot, loose fitting, double-breasted style with deep facing of self, yoke and sleeves interlined with sateen. Price . . . **\$6.75**

**WOMEN'S COATS**, made of all wool English beaver cloth in semi-fitting style, 48 inches long. Velvet collar edged with fancy braid, roll cuffs and large outside pockets. Price . . . **\$10.00**

**WOMEN'S COATS**, in French diagonal serge: colors blue, green and black, in semi-tight style, 48 inches long, single-breasted, with large outside pockets, roll collar and cuffs, trimmed with jet buttons and finished with stitching. Price . . . **\$12.50**

### Women's Rain Coats Specially Priced

**WOMEN'S RAIN COATS**, full length, in rubberized silk. Colors, blue and black, also the fancy stripe. Loose back, single-breasted front, closed at neck with roll collar, inlaid with velvet. Price . . . **\$5.00**

**WOMEN'S RAIN COAT**, in good quality of thin Heptonette cloth. Colors, fawn, blue and black. Full length, semi-fitting, with strap at waist. Double-breasted, with large patch pockets. Roll collar and cuffs finished with stitching. Price . . . **\$10.00**

**WOMEN'S RAIN COAT**, in fancy stripe cloth, with rubber lining, also plain colors. Full length, loose back and front, with tight fitting roll collar. Outside pockets. Price . . . **\$7.50**

### Children's Coats Priced Surprisingly Low

**CHILDREN'S COATS**, in English cheviot. Colors, blue, green, brown and black. Full length, with pleated back. Double-breasted, with roll collar and cuffs trimmed with silk braid to match. Price from and up, according to size . . . **\$4.00**

**CHILDREN'S FULL LENGTH COATS**, in good quality of serge. Colors, blue, green and brown. Made with a deep yoke and double box pleated back and front. Price from and up, according to size . . . **\$3.50**

**CHILDREN'S COATS**, in English serge. Full length, box back with pleat, and double-breasted front, with pockets. Roll collar and cuffs. Price . . . **\$2.50**

### Ladies' Flannelette Night Gowns Special at 50c

**NIGHTGOWNS**—Extra good quality are these. They are in pink and stripes, full lining, with collars. Specially good value which should be taken advantage of by every person wishing one of these wearables. Special price for Friday selling, each . . . **50c**



### Special Bargains in Boys' and Men's Wearables

**BOYS' ENGLISH SWEATERS**, all sizes in shades of blue, brown, green, red and white, made to button on the shoulders, front or pull over, plain and fancy knit. These were bought specially in England and comprise some exceptional values. Prices all the way from \$1.75 to . . . **75c**

**BOYS' SWEATERS**—Boys' heavy ribbed coat sweaters, navy, blue and grey, trimmed with red facings. Special . . . **75c**

**BOYS' SWEATERS**—Boys' imported blue red-worsted sweaters. Very strong and useful. All sizes. From \$1.50 to . . . **75c**

Some special lines of imported sock, bought right on the spot at the mills in England:

**SOX**—Heather mixture ribbed wool, a nice, warm weight, each pair has a card of mending to match. Per pair . . . **25c**

**SOX**—Black ribbed worsted, a warm, strong quality. Per pair . . . **25c**

**SOX**—Best grade heather mixture wool sock, ribbed and made of a soft quality yarn. Per pair . . . **35c**

**SOX**—Heavy black ribbed worsted sock, special grade and finish. Per pair . . . **35c**

**SOX**—Black cashmere sock, winter weight, embroidered with red, white and blue silk. Per pair . . . **35c**

**SOX**—Plain black cashmere sock, our special quality, seamless and spliced at toes and heels. Per pair . . . **35c**

**SOX**—Llama black cashmere sock, special weight and soft finish. Per pair . . . **50c**

Warm knitted gloves for cold mornings:

**MEN'S KNITTED GLOVES**, in shades of brown and grey, strong and warm. Per pair . . . **25c**

**MEN'S WOOLEN GLOVES**—Special quality knitted woolen gloves for men, \$1.00, 75c and . . . **50c**

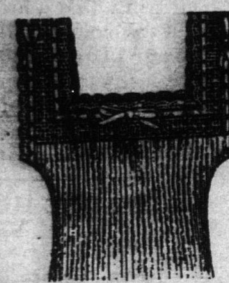
**ENGLISH FLANNEL SHIRTS**, with collars attached and buttoned down, extra well made with full bodies, heavy weight for winter, dark grey and also colored stripes. . . **\$1.50**

**MEN'S UNDERWEAR**—Special values in men's winter underwear. Qualities all the way from, per garment, 50c to . . . **\$2.50**

**MEN'S UNDERWEAR**—Best quality sanitary wool fleece lined shirts and drawers, very soft and warm, per garment . . . **50c**

### Bargains in Ladies' Underwear for Friday

**LADIES' UNDERWEAR**—This is a special offering indeed. Ladies' vests with long sleeves, embroidered collar, made of extra fine wool and cotton mixture. Just the right weight for winter wear. In white and grey. Also drawers to match, at per garment, Friday . . . **50c**



### Children's Flannelette Drawers, Fri., 25c

**CHILDREN'S DRAWERS**—Prepare the little folks for the coming cold weather. You can do this by attending this store Friday and take advantage of these special offerings. They are made of good quality flannelette. Special for Friday selling . . . **25c**

### Pinafores Special, Friday, at, Each, 25c

**PINAFORES**—Nothing looks nicer on the little girl than one of these splendidly made pinafores. They are made of fine quality lawn. These are, we might say, a lot our buyer accidentally ran across while in the east. Special for Friday . . . **25c**

### Flannelettes, Comforters and Turkish Towels at Less-Than-Ever Prices

Special savings are to be made in our staple department Friday on comforters, towels and flannelettes. A glance down the following items is convincing:

**ENGLISH FLANNELETES**, 32 inches wide, light and medium stripes, tan, blue, pink, etc. Special value for Friday, per yard . . . **10c**

**COTTON FILLED COMFORTERS**, 66 x 72 inches, silko-line coverings. Good assortment of patterns. Special value Friday, each . . . **\$1.75**

**WHITE TURKISH TOWELS**, large size, heavy quality. Hemmed. Special value for Friday, each . . . **25c**

Refreshments Served in Tea Rooms, Third Floor

# DAVID SPENCER, LTD.

Merchants' Lunch From 12 to 2, Third Floor

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## TWO M DARING ROBBE TAKE THE MAIL SACKS

Probably Got Many Thou  
Dollars Worth of Regis  
Letters — William B  
more Among Passenge

In the grey of dawn this m  
the famous old Cariboo treasure  
was "stuck up" by two bandit  
lonely gulch four miles to the se  
150-Mile House, robbed of three  
sacks known to contain a quan  
valuable registered parcels, and  
permitted to proceed. The pass  
were not molested, and the ent  
tention of the highwaymen was  
contrasted upon gaining posses  
the postal freight. The r  
screened by trees, did not at all  
permit themselves to be seen.  
voice, one of the daring duo is t  
to be an elderly man. Consid  
local knowledge was betrayed  
manner in which the hold-up  
planned and executed.

Despatches reporting the brig  
received by the superintendent o  
vincial police this morning giv  
story thus:

"The Cariboo stage was held  
robbed of three mail sacks at  
four miles south of the 150-Mile  
at 5.30 a.m. today. The hold-u  
curled at the foot of the hill,  
two men hidden behind trees, de  
ed in loud toned voices:

"Hold on—the mail bags or  
life!"

"Driver Charles Westoby ende  
to disregard the mandate and  
ceded, when the voice shouted:  
"Those mail bags in two seco  
your life!"

"The driver threw one of the  
sacks over, and for a third tim  
voice commanded:  
"None of that. You have  
more. Throw them over!"

"The driver did so. He was  
told to go on, and shot was f  
the air. The driver was not  
any time molested. It was too  
see anything.

"The stolen sacks of mail wer  
Cottonwood and 150-Mile House  
mail from 150 Mile House co  
forty-three registered letters  
packages. The passengers we  
in number and included: W  
Blainmore, Victoria; John Tho  
J. McKade and Al. Whiteside, o  
clerks.

"The coach was driven thro  
George Fekers, two miles sou  
a messenger despatched on hor  
to the 150-Mile House, where G  
ble Yolland was notified and  
charge of the case within an  
The bandits evidently had a  
local knowledge. The feigned  
the one indicated a man of  
age."

While it isn't possible to e  
definitely the extent of the r  
apolis it is believed that they w  
to get away with four or five th  
dollars.

This morning Superintendent  
vincial Police F. S. Hussey was  
to give any further particular  
have been outlined. He said t  
had been notified of the occurre  
that already he had taken the ne  
steps to dispatch two or three  
the scene to investigate and ex  
to get on the trail of the outlaw  
difficulty was the distance that  
be covered. It would be three  
all probability before the offic  
get into the country. However,  
thing possible would be done t  
the track while it was yet wa  
The provincial government wil  
reward for information that  
men. Just what amount will be  
was not decided at the time of  
to press. Premier McBride o  
that the superintendent's reco  
tion would be adopted. It wou  
amount commensurate with the  
ness of the offense.

### PROSPERITY HAS RETURNED

Washington, D. C., Bulletin  
That Effects of Hard Times  
Largely Passed

WASHINGTON, D. C., No  
Prosperity has arrived, accordi  
statement issued today by the  
of statistics of the United Sta  
partment of commerce and labo  
September the business o  
country and the movement of  
freight cars reached proportion  
exceeded those of the same mo  
year. In fact the bulletin sa  
while the number of idle cars  
end of last month has not al  
disappeared there were indi  
that a car shortage would qui  
velop. The improved conditio  
most pronounced in the coal a  
trades. The movement of lum  
somewhat heavier. From V  
and the Carolinas the shipm  
lumber increased 58 per cent, o  
tember of last year, but there  
sharp falling off in the quant  
yellow pine received in New  
from that received in August, a  
the receipts were nearly doubl  
of a year ago. There was a co  
able slump in the receipts of g  
four in the four leading sea  
ceipts of grain in the interior  
were below the aggregate for S  
ber, 1908. A similar conditio  
covered in the shipment of  
house products from Chicag  
chief slump being on canned  
which show a relative loss o  
corresponding figures of 1908  
proximately 45 per cent. The  
shows that the September total  
handled was 2,933,003 or almos  
cent, in excess of the corres  
month of last year.