

Grand Jury, 1925

Presentment of

The Grand Jury were in attendance at the Supreme Court this morning and made the following presentment:

Our Lordships.—We, the members of the Grand Jury, acting on your suggestions, have visited and inspected the following Public Institutions, and now beg to present our report on same:

Insane Asylum—Arriving at the Asylum we were met by the Doctor and attendants in charge, who explained the arrangements and work of the Institution. As we inspected the different parts of the building we found, in our opinion, everything satisfactory and up-to-date. With the new additions and operating room, everything seems to have been well provided for the welfare of the inmates. The roomy corridors, neat and well aired rooms, ample light and heat, combined with the ideal surroundings of the building should effect the objects aimed at. There is some room, however, for improvements in the Kitchen and Laundry Departments. We were informed there was no refrigerator in the building—hence large quantities of food material each season had to be dumped, at a considerable loss. The Laundry did not possess one single Washing Machine which would greatly facilitate matters in that particular department.

We also understood that the portion of the building set apart for students is badly heated, poorly ventilated, and subject to noise from other parts. We were informed that this is the class of cases which requires most treatment, and the least possible disturbance from noise, which is almost impossible to get in these wards—they being a part of the original building, and not up to the requirements. Besides being badly heated and poorly ventilated they are not sound proof. Regarding fire protection—We were of the opinion there was none—according to the number of inmates—there being but one fire escape on either side of the building, and these are so constructed that it would be practically impossible for even a sane man to escape.

We believe the Medical Superintendent and Staff are deeply interested in their work, and do their very best for those committed to their charge.

Poor Asylum—We next visited this Institution and were shown through by the Superintendent, and found everything satisfactory, as far as could be expected under the circumstances.

We must concur with former reports which have been presented—that this building is not now suitable, and that a new, and up-to-date one should be procured, but in the meanwhile some improvements should be made. The sanitary and toilet arrangements are most unsatisfactory, and quite inadequate for the needs of the inmates. We think that a general clean up of the building—both inside and out—such as painting, etc., would greatly improve the general appearance of the Institution, and as far as possible those inmates who are capable of doing work be employed.

We think, however, the officials in charge are doing their best for the comforts of the inmates, as far as facilities will permit. Penitentiary—On arriving at the Penitentiary we were met by the Superintendent, who gave us every facility for inspecting the premises. We visited the cells, both in male and female wards, and found them to be well kept and clean, and had the appearance that everything was conducive to the health of the prisoners.

We then visited the Broom-Making Department, which, although closed (owing to the late hour) had the appearance of a live of industry. We again strongly voice the sentiments of others regarding some place for youthful delinquents, and not to be having them coming into contact with hardened criminals—as in the case of one young lad of 13 years, who is at present confined in the above mentioned institution, but, generally speaking, we are of the opinion that the Superintendent and his staff are doing all within their power for the comfort of those sent there from time to time. At present there are 37 males and 7 females there. Respectfully submitted on behalf of the Grand Jury.

W. KNOWLING, Foreman.

Arrivals at Little Bay Islands

The following vessels arrived at Little Bay Islands from the fishery, during the week ending October 10th: Clonlara Stone, Capt. Baxter Wiseman, 300 qts.; taken on Labrador; Halley's Comet, Capt. Robert Slade, 450 qts.; Ben, Capt. Darius Norshire, 150 qts.; taken at the shore fishery; J.P.L. Capt. Lemuel Kingman, 200 qts.; taken at the shore fishery. The following freighters also arrived: Dummer, Capt. A.F. Roberts, 800 qts.; Ensign, Capt. S.V. Parsons, 1800 qts.; Rowena Ross, Capt. Daniel Rideout, 700 qts.; Bonnie, Capt. Ernest Perry, 600 qts.

Had Enjoyable Entertainment

The Sea Ladies Association held a very successful card party and dance at the Club Rooms last night. The affair was the first held for the season and judging by the large attendance and the enjoyable evening spent, future entertainments by the Sea Ladies will be well attended. The prize winners in the drawing were: Mesdames Mitchell and Tobin. The music was given by the "Omnibus" Orchestra, for the dance, a big hit. The affair concluded nearly four this morning. Mrs. J. Caslin, President of the Sea Association, presented prizes to the lucky winners.

Roast Chicken and

Roast Chicken and other delicacies served daily at the "Phone 14F2."

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October Sale of Wet Weather Wear FOR MEN, WOMEN and CHILDREN

This week we offer exceptional opportunities to buy wet weather wear—most essential for the next few months—at prices that mean a substantial saving.

Our new fall stocks of men's and women's Raglans, Umbrellas, etc., have arrived and will be included in this sale.

We cannot over emphasize to those who are economically inclined the importance of seizing these money saving chances at their earliest.



Women's Umbrellas

We are showing a splendid selection of women's Umbrellas, wood and steel rods, straight handles, some with straps, others with rings, newest styles, some colored Amber and Ivory tipped, 8 rib steel frame, covered with best quality Gloria Cloth.

Men's Umbrellas

Strong frames covered with high grade Black Gloria Cloth, strong serviceable handles straight and bent.

Women's Silk Umbrellas

These are the very newest; strong frame covered with best quality silk shades of Navy, Brown, Myrtle, Purple, Cardinal and Black, very pretty handles fitted with cord as illustrated above; absolutely correct for fall. Reg. \$6.75. Sale Price \$6.08.

Men's Navy and Fawn Raglans at Specially Reduced Prices

Navy Raglans: Men's Navy Raglans, double breasted trench style, belt all round, strap sleeves, lined throughout with thorough water-proof lining; all sizes. Reg. \$25.50 each. Sale Price \$22.95.

Fawn Raglans: Men's high grade Fawn Gaberdine Raglans; trench coat style, double breasted, with full belt and strap sleeves, waterproof lined throughout; all sizes. A good looking and serviceable coat. Reg. \$25.50 each. Sale Price \$22.95.

Navy Raglans: Men's Navy Raglans, lined throughout with water proof lining, also with a detachable all wool lining, double breasted style, full belted, strap sleeves; all sizes. The ideal coat for fall and winter. Reg. \$21.50 each. Sale Price \$18.90.

Men's Raincoats: Heavy Tweed Raincoats for men, in Light and Mid Grey, both plain and neat check effects. These come in double breasted style, full belt and strap sleeves; all sizes. The ideal wet weather coat, both good looking and dressy. Reg. \$35.00 each. Sale Price \$31.50.

Fawn Raglans: Boys' Fawn Raglans, trench coat style, double breasted, full belt, strap at sleeves, pretty plaid linings; assorted sizes. To fit ages 10 to 12. Reg. \$16.50 each. Sale Price \$14.55. To fit ages 13 to 15 years. Reg. \$17.50 each. Sale Price \$15.75.

Boys' Raglans: Fawn Raglans, double breasted, full belted, strapped sleeves, waterproof lined throughout; assorted sizes. To fit ages 9 to 19 years. Reg. \$12.00 each. Sale Price \$10.50. Reg. \$15.00 each. Sale Price \$13.25. Reg. \$16.25 each. Sale Price \$14.63. Navy Raglans, same style as above; to fit ages 14 to 16 years. Reg. \$10.00 each. Sale Price \$9.00. Reg. \$10.50 each. Sale Price \$9.45.

Men's Raglans: We offer a limited number of Men's Raglans in both double and single breasted style, at a wonderfully low price. We haven't all sizes in this lot, but if your size is here you get it at a bargain. In a Light Fawn shade and of excellent quality. Special price for this sale at \$12.60 each.

Navy Raglans: Same style as above; to fit 16 to 18 years. Reg. \$17.50 each. Sale Price \$15.75. Reg. \$19.00 each. Sale Price \$17.10.

Men's Waterproof Leggings: Shades of light and dark Fawn, thoroughly waterproof, fastened at side with springs, fitted with boot straps, ideal for wet weather, length of leg 28 to 34 inches. Reg. \$2.75 pair. Sale Price \$2.48.

WOMEN'S and MISSES' RAGLANS and Waterproofs at Savings

Women's Tweed Raglans: Shown in pretty tweed effects in the newest style single and double breasted styles, with and without belt; shades of Grey, Fawn, Brown, Henna, and Sage. These are new arrivals and extremely popular for fall wear; assorted sizes. Reg. \$16.00 each. Sale Price \$14.40. Reg. \$17.50 each. Sale Price \$15.75. Reg. \$18.00 each. Sale Price \$17.10. Reg. \$25.00 each. Sale Price \$22.50. Reg. \$27.00 each. Sale Price \$24.30. Reg. \$32.50 each. Sale Price \$29.25.

Women's Raglans: Made from best quality Gaberdine, some unlined, others quarter lined and others lined throughout; shades of Fawn, Grey, Slate, Brown, Tan, Navy and Black; assorted sizes. Reg. \$6.50 each. Sale Price \$5.55. Reg. \$14.00 each. Sale Price \$12.60. Reg. \$28.00 each. Sale Price \$25.20. Reg. \$32.00 each. Sale Price \$29.20. Reg. \$35.00 each. Sale Price \$31.50.

Women's Waterproofs: Plain shades of Fawn, Grey and Nigger, also in pretty tweed effects of Brown, Fawn, and Heather mixtures; all sizes. Reg. \$11.00 each. Sale Price \$9.90. Reg. \$28.50 each. Sale Price \$26.65. Reg. \$30.00 each. Sale Price \$28.00. Reg. \$32.00 each. Sale Price \$29.70. Reg. \$33.50 each. Sale Price \$31.15. Reg. \$39.75 each. Sale Price \$36.75.

Misses' Rubber Coats: Black Rubber Coats for misses, full belt, strap at sleeves; the ideal wet weather coat, for school wear. We have them in all sizes. 30 in. Reg. \$4.85 ea. Sale Price \$4.37. 33 to 39 in. Reg. \$5.60 ea. Sale Price \$5.04. 42 in. Reg. \$7.00 ea. Sale Price \$6.30. 44 in. Reg. \$8.50 ea. Sale Price \$7.65. 45 in. Reg. \$7.25 ea. Sale Price \$6.53. 46 in. Reg. \$9.50 ea. Sale Price \$8.55. 46 in. Reg. \$10.50 ea. Sale Price \$9.45.



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Black Rubber Coats: A new shipment of these very popular coats enables us to offer all sizes for women. They are low in price and very serviceable. Reg. \$9.50 each. Sale Price \$8.55. Reg. \$10.50 each. Sale Price \$9.45.

Misses' Fawn Raglans: Waterproof lined throughout. 24 in. Reg. \$5.50 ea. Sale Price \$5.74. 27 in. Reg. \$8.95 ea. Sale Price \$8.06. 30 in. Reg. \$9.50 ea. Sale Price \$8.52. 30 in. Reg. \$9.50 ea. Sale Price \$8.57. 30 in. Reg. \$10.15 ea. Sale Price \$9.14. 36 and 38 in. Reg. \$10.35 ea. Sale Price \$9.32. 42 in. Reg. \$11.75 ea. Sale Price \$10.58.

Rubber Footwear for all the Family

Men's Rubbers: Low cut and storm; medium and wide fitting; all sizes. Special per pair \$1.65. Men's Rubbers: Storm, heavy rolled edge; all sizes. Special per pair \$1.85. Men's Storm Rubbers: Heavy quality, dull finish, extra heavy red sole; all sizes. Special per pair \$2.25. Boys' Rubbers: Storm and low cut; sizes 3 to 6. Special per pair \$1.35. Rolled edge, storm; sizes 3 to 6. Special per pair \$1.60.

Youths' Rubbers: Low cut and storm; sizes 11 to 2. Special per pair \$1.10. Storm rolled edge; sizes 11 to 2. Special per pair \$1.40. Child's Rubbers: Low cut and storm; sizes 4 to 10. Special per pair \$1.15. Tan, low cut; sizes 6 to 10. Special per pair \$1.15. Misses' Rubbers: Black, low cut and storm; sizes 11 to 2. Special per pair \$1.05.

Women's Rubbers: Black, low cut and storm; a big assortment to choose from, in styles to suit the new footwear. Special per pair \$1.15 and \$1.30. Women's Rubbers: Tan, low cut, newest shapes for the new footwear; sizes 2 1/2 to 7. Special per pair \$1.60.



The ROYAL STORES, Limited

R-33 Makes Her First Flight

SINCE MISHAP OF LAST APRIL. LONDON, Oct. 9.—Great Britain's big airship, the R-33, started out last night on its first trip since undergoing repairs made necessary last April when it was torn from the mooring mast

and driven out over the North Sea. At a cost of several thousand pounds the airship has been fitted with a new metal nose and about sixty feet of her forward frame has been rebuilt. When the aircraft left the station at Pulham the weather was warm and calm. The plan was to maintain a flight of about twenty-four hours. During the night the dirigible was in radio communication with Pulham and early this morning it was

crusing successfully over the mouth of the Thames. Major Scott, who navigated the R-33 to the United States in 1919, is in command of the R-33. He is aided, among others, by Lieutenant Booth, who was in command during the April misadventure. The airship has aboard the same crew as was swept out to sea during the blow. Also on board is a staff of scientists to record the aerodynamic forces encountered

and to make various technical experiments for the purpose of obtaining data for guidance in the building of the two new air giants contemplated. The R-33 has been fitted with tackle to enable her to carry an airplane which is to be released during the flight. If you cannot eat try BRICK'S TASTELESS. For sale everywhere.—sept28,tf

McMurdo's Store News.

TELEPHONE YOUR ORDER. We are always waiting on our end of the line to receive your orders and give them our very best attention. We treat a telephone order with as much attention as we do a personal call. Our policy is to please. "Come here and be pleased." McMurdo's Drug Store, Water Street, Phone 277.

NEGLE STORMBOUND.

The Railway Management received the following message last night from Capt. Burgess of S. S. Meigle: "Monday, 6 p.m., same position (Flounder's Cove), snowing till 4 p.m., wind N.N.W., light and dull, sea going down."

SAGONA REPORTED.

S.S. Sagona Capt. Norman, passed Cape Bauld at 3 p.m. yesterday, bound to Battle Harbor to take up the Straits Service.