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The Most Charming of All -

Woolen Skirts \$4.95 to \$15.00

Skirts are always in vogue. But why shouldn't they be? They are so easy to slip into with a fresh waist and a jaunty coat, and you really enjoy the change from a dress or suit. Very pretty new styles at very attractive low prices are being offered. There are skirts that were very much higher priced originally and include skirts of such high quality that you would ordinarily pay even more than twice their present prices. Some are serges, some poplin, some satin, some tweeds. The color combinations in stripes and plaids, bring in some unusual two-tone effects which you will agree are quite stunning. All sizes.

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A blouse would not be a blouse worth while, if it did not have something that was decidedly different. Peasant blouses that hang in gathers from rounded neckline and are picturesquely embroidered in bright colors that are most attractive. A new shipment of waists of Crepe-de-chine and Voiles are now on display, roll and flat collars are seen on them. Prices go from \$1.25 to \$12.00.

A Decided Bargain

Coats \$10.50, \$15.50, \$37.50, \$47.50

Some in the lot were up to \$90.00.

It matters not, if the season be nearly half spent, when such lovely coats are offered at a price so low. Coats bought this season are sure to be in good style next season, they always are. Besides many of them can be worn for the spring. Coats that were priced very close at the beginning of the season, some as high as \$90.00, are now offered at \$47.50. They are in good style, good material, our very finest and in popular shades. Why not enjoy the comfort of one for the balance of this season, and the large amount you would save if you wait until next season to buy one?

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RECIPROCITY FOR TRAINED NURSES

Many matters of importance were dealt with at the meeting of the New Brunswick Graduate Nurses' Association, held last evening in the nurses' home of the General Public Hospital with the president, Miss Margaret Murdock, in the chair. Those present from outside St. John were: Miss Whyte, of Doaktown; Miss MacMasters, of Moncton; Miss Branscombe, of St. Stephen; Miss Alice Burns, of Moncton, and Miss H. Melkiohn, superintendent of public health nursing in the province. The members of the council present, besides Miss Murdock, were: Miss Whyte, Miss Fraser, Miss Belding, Miss Mitchell and Mrs. G. L. Dunlop.

The matter of reciprocity with other provinces and with the United States was thoroughly discussed, and it was finally decided, on motion, that the New Brunswick Association would recognize the standing and allow full privileges to the nurses of other provinces and of those states which recognized a fifteen daily occupied bed hospital as a training school and would be willing to allow the same privileges to New Brunswick nurses.

The fixing of the date of the annual meeting was left with the executive to decide.

The much debated subject as to

whether nurses with only two years' training should be acceptable as members of the association was once more discussed and it was decided not to accept the nurses who had not had the three years' course of training.

Information was received concerning the national war memorial to nurses who died or were killed during the war. The proposed memorial is to be erected in Ottawa at a cost of \$65,000, and the share of the cost which the New Brunswick Association would be called upon to bear is \$2,000. The meeting did not favor the plan; but rather than have the names of the New Brunswick nurses who gave their lives left out of the memorial record, it was decided to fall in line with the other provinces. Miss Alice Burns, of Moncton, was appointed general convener of the committee for the memorial fund, and her assistants were named as follows:—Miss Whyte, of Doaktown; Miss Budd, of Woodstock; Miss M. Melkiohn, of Fredericton; Miss McMullin, of St. Stephen, and Miss Cambridge, of St. John.

It was decided to raise the fees for nursing contagious cases from \$25 a week to \$35 a week, but to have this new schedule take effect only after the annual meeting in September.

The meeting was largely attended, about twenty-five of the St. John nurses being present, besides those already mentioned. There are also gathered between 200 and 300 registered nurses members of the association

in New Brunswick. After the business of the meeting had been disposed of, a social hour was enjoyed and refreshments were served.

Revival Of Gold Miners In Nova Scotia This Year

Halifax, N. S., Feb. 8.—According to report received by the Provincial Department of Lands and Mines there will be considerable revival of gold mining in Nova Scotia this year. Many prospectors have taken out licenses, and old companies have been enlarging their plants.

Gold mining has been carried on in this Province for over a century, but the production has not been large, the greatest annual output being valued at \$560,000. Between 1862 and 1920 the production was 967,457 ounces, which at a valuation of \$19 per ounce was worth \$18,229,883. The annual production has ranged between 20,000 and 30,000 ounces.

Nova Scotia gold is derived entirely from vein workings. The auriferous quartz bearing veins occur in groups, running parallel to one another in a system of Anticlinal domes. The Atlantic shore from Canso to Yarmouth is occupied by the auriferous strata. The width of this district varies from ten to forty miles and the area in which gold occurs is estimated at 3,000 square miles.

MIRAMICHI LOSES PIONEER CITIZEN

With the passing of John Graham Anderson, the Miramichi loses one of its pioneer citizens. Born at Douglastown, in 1826, one year after the Miramichi fire. Mr. Anderson has resided there all his life and was one of the leading residents of that community. The late Mr. Anderson had been in failing health for some years, but suffered a paralytic stroke from which he passed away. He is survived by three sons, John Anderson, of Brockton, Mass.; Finley, in the West, and Rev. George S. Anderson of Somerville, Mass.; also two daughters, Margaret, Mrs. John Alexander, of Douglastown, with whom he resided, and Annie (Mrs. Cook) Dorchester, Mass.

The funeral took place on Sunday afternoon 12th inst. at two o'clock and was largely attended. Services were conducted at the house and grave by Rev. Aex. Frith, and interment took place in St. James' Cemetery, Newcastle.

BEAVERBROOK'S ACTIVITIES

Max Aitken, or Lord Beaverbrook, shares the honor with Bonar Law of being the most prominent Canadian in England, and both were born in New Brunswick. Bonar Law confined his activities to politics, while Max Aitken dabbled in politics besides continuing his financial operations, became a peer and a multi-millionaire, and is now best known, perhaps, as a newspaper proprietor. Max has a full appreciation of the value of publicity, and he is willing to pay for it, but many generous acts have been placed to his credit. One of his latest adventures is described in a special despatch from London as follows:

That Lord Beaverbrook had offered to lend her husband £25,000 to assist his effort to stave off the crash of the City Equitable Fire Insurance Company here was stated by the wife of G. L. Bevan, chairman of the ill-fated concern, today. Beaverbrook was in no way concerned in the company's affairs, but offered his support a week ago through friendship and a desire to avert a catastrophe, Mrs. Bevan says. The Sunday Express had already hinted that Bevan had made a full breast of the company's affairs to the owner of that newspaper who, although he has announced his retirement from finance, is still regarded as a power in the money world. Whatever Beaverbrook's desire to help, the Express has been very outspoken in ventilating the affairs of the Equitable Company and its vanished chairman. It is understood no Canadians are involved in its losses—Exchange.

Winter Hard On Baby

The winter season is a hard one on the baby. He is more or less confined to stuffy, badly ventilated rooms. It is so often stormy that the mother does not get him out in the fresh air as often as she should. He catches colds which rack his little system; his stomach and bowels get out of order and he becomes peevish and cross. To guard against this the mother should keep a box of Baby's Own Tablets in the house. They regulate the stomach and bowels, and break up colds. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

REQUEST FOR INFORMATION BY CHIEF OF POLICE

The following letter is self explanatory and Chief of Police John H. Ashford would be grateful for any information, which any of our readers might be able to give in connection with this matter.

February 9, 1922
The Chief of Police,
Newcastle, N. B.
Dear Sir:

I am searching for the heirs of BLANCHE LOIS BERDELL, deceased, who are believed to be living in or near your town.

This decedent was born in Canada about the year 1861, and is believed to have gone to New York State (first to Buffalo and later to New York City) somewhere about 1875 to 1880.

Decedent stated to friends during her lifetime that her father remarried when she was 14 years old, which would be about the year 1875, whereupon deceased left home, as "her father marrying that woman broke her mother's heart." This would indicate that there was a divorce between her father and mother. She spoke of other children, which indicates that there were half brothers and sisters. It is also understood that her father was either a lumberman or a "lumberjack," some where on a river.

Will you be kind enough to make an inquiry with a view to locating the heirs of Blanche Lois Berdell, and give my inquiry such publicity as you can, so that the persons entitled to this estate may communicate with me without delay?

Yours very truly,
F. C. COX
(Other papers please copy)

OBITUARY

WALTER SCOTT
Walter Scott died at his home, Whitneyville, on Monday morning, February 13, after two years' illness, aged thirty-three. Mr. Scott was son of the late John Scott and Mrs. Isabel Scott, of Whitneyville. He is survived by his wife (formerly Miss Muriel Eteenger) and three young children, also three sisters, Mrs. William Betts, Millerton, Mrs. Ernest Payne, Lytleton and Mrs. William Cain, Boom Road.

JOHN B. McLAUGHLIN
On Tuesday, January 31, there passed away a much respected resident of Blackville, in the person of John B. McLaughlin at the age of seventy-four years. He had been hale and hearty for his age until stricken with pneumonia.

Mr. McLaughlin is survived by two sisters, Mrs. James Hawes, Blackville, Mrs. Fred Scott, Bellingham (Wash), one brother, Thomas, in Downing (Wis.)

JOHN T. HAWKE
Mr. John T. Hawke, editor and proprietor of The Moncton Transcript, passed away Friday afternoon at his home, 65 Wesley Street.

Mr. Hawke who had been in failing health for the past two years, having suffered a paralytic stroke on December 31st, 1919 contracted a grippe about two weeks ago, since which time he had been bedfast. About ten days ago pneumonia developed and other complications, which terminat

SUSSEX'S GREAT GAME AT CHATHAM

Sussex triumphed over the Chatham team Friday night in the second game of the play off series by a score of four to nothing. It was by far the finest game of hockey ever played on Chatham ice. It was also a beauty to watch. No rough play by either team made it also the cleanest exhibition ever given. Players of both teams went for the puck and not the man. Frank Brown, of Moncton, who was to referee the match, could not reach here, and his place was ably filled by E. W. Watling, who only had to issue three penalties. This in itself shows how clean the game was.

Although shut out, Chatham was in the game at all times and had the best of the territory play in the last two periods. Early in the first period Sussex notched number one, and try as they could Chatham's attack could not pierce Finnegan, who gave the best exhibition of goal tending seen here this season. In the second period Sussex scored number two and then Chatham uncocked a burst of speed that was terrific, and kept the disc around the Sussex net for practically the whole period, making shot after shot, the majority of which Finnegan handled with apparent ease, but there was a lot of wild shooting which was just inches off the net. This period was productive of beautiful hockey.

In the final period Chatham tried hard to even up but Sussex scored two and were content to play on the defensive.

The whole Chatham line up played well up the ice and used every effort in their power but the man in the Sussex goal was like the rock of Gibraltar. For Sussex the whole team worked like Trojans, and were clearly the best team seen here, and were fast and clean.

Sussex—Finnegan, goal; Radcliffe, point; Hay, cover-point; Leclair, centre; Friars, right wing; Radcliffe, left wing.

Chatham—Eagles, goal; Currie, point; Duncan, cover-point; McMahon, centre; Keoughan, right wing; R. Cripps, left wing.

Spares: Sussex, Miller and Miller; Chatham, D. Cripps

ed in his death at 3.15 p. m. Friday.

The deceased leaves his wife, formerly Miss Della Thornton, of Aylmer, West, Ontario; also three daughters, Mrs. John E. Barry and Mrs. Wilson W. Lodge, Jr., of Moncton and Mrs. Melville Howey, of Cereal Alberta. He also leaves six grandchildren Masters Jack and Wilson Lodge of Moncton, are grandsons of the deceased. One brother, Mr. Harry Hawke, of Lapeer, Michigan also survives.

CURLING

The Newcastle and Chatham Curling Clubs will meet tomorrow in the second annual curling match, when they play for the possession of the Silver Medal.

If you don't believe the cost of living in foodstuffs has dropped take your grocery bill for the past month and compare the prices with those of the same month a year ago. It may not be as much as one could wish for—but every little bit helps.

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