

Address to Rotary.

MR. W. G. GOESLING ON THE ECONOMIC SITUATION.

Mr. W. G. Goesling was the principal speaker at Tuesday's luncheon of the Rotary Club. He addressed the gathering on the Economic situation and quotations from his speech are published below.

While Newfoundland is a very considerable portion of the world there is no doubt, that world conditions affect us directly and immediately, more so than any of us would suppose until the matter is closely studied.

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New Ribbons & Embroideries

Silk Taffeta Ribbons.
5 inches wide, pretty floral effects in Navy, Sage, Brown and Sky; for hair and hat trim—**54c.**
Reg. 60c. yard for

Plain Silk Ribbons.
5 inches wide, heavy Taffeta in shades of Sage, Brown, Jade, Sky, Pink, Rose, Fawn, etc. **44c.**
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Swiss Embroideries and Insertions.
Beautiful solid and eyelet designs on White Cambric, Embroidery 3 inches wide and Insertion 2 inches wide to match. Regular 16c. yard **13c.**
for

Spring Hosiery



Women's Cashmere Hose.
Fine All Wool Hose in Navy, Henna, Cor-dovan and Black; plain, seamless double heels and toes; sizes 9 and 9½. Reg. 95c. pair for **82c.**

Women's "Holeproof" Hose.
Plain Black Cashmires, radiant finish; specially made to withstand heavy wear; strengthened heels and toes, fast and stainless dyes; sizes 9 and 9½. Regular 75c. pair for **64c.**

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Brown and Black Ribbed Wool Hose, spliced knees; special values.
Size 6½—Price, per pair 60c.
Size 8—Price, per pair 68c.

Children's Hose.
Fine Black Ribbed Hose, garter tops, spliced feet; sizes 5 to 8. Values to 26c. pair for **19c.**

SWEATER WOOLS.—Especially adapted for home knitting; in one ounce balls; shades of Grey, Emerald, Wistaria, Rose, Sage, Jade, Turquoise, American Beauty, Reseda, Buff, Black and White. Special, per ball **22c.**

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High grade Black Kid Gloves, sizes 5¼ to 6½ only, 3 buttons; stitched or plain backs. Reg. \$2.50 values for **75c.**

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Fine Suede finished Gloves in shades of Grey, Putty and Fawn; all sizes. Reg. **58c.**
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In light and dark shades of Tan; sizes 1 to 6. Reg. \$1.35 pair for **\$1.47**

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FOLDING COIT HANGERS.—Heavy metal. Reg. 17c. each for **14c.**

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New Spring Merchandise Offered at Sale Prices

Fashion's plans for the coming Spring and Summer are now fully revealed at The Royal Stores. The "something new" for which we search so constantly is displayed here in a thousand and one charming ways. The question of price need not deter you, for, however much or however little you wish to spend, the best-out-let for your money is always at The Royal Stores.

Read this interesting list of items, selected at random for Friday and Saturday's selling.

Tricoline Blouses.
Cut on smart tailored lines, adjustable collars, turn back sleeves; in assorted striped designs; size 13½ to 15. Reg. \$6.00 each for **\$5.10**

Khaki Linen Blouses.
These will appeal to all women. collars may be worn turned back to form reverses or buttoned high at neck; size 36 to 44. Reg. \$2.20 each for **\$1.80**

Latest Models in Ready-to-Wear Hats
These sale offers for Friday and Saturday will enable you to secure a smart new Hat at a genuine saving. Smart Ready-to-wear Straws in new and becoming styles. Pretty color effects in contrasting shades of Sage, Taupe, Sage, Cerise, Henna and Green.
Regular \$10.50 each for \$ 8.95
Regular \$12.00 each for \$10.30



Woolen Coats.
All Angora Wool, knitted in rib stitch, Tuxedo collar, neat turn back cuffs and pockets, pull thru belt; shades of Fawn, Jade, Sage, Henna, Gray, Maize and Rose. Reg. \$20.00 each for **\$16.95**

Habitat Silk Blouses.
Very stylish and becoming, long roll collar, neat tucks adorn the front, cut finish sleeves, elastic at waist; assorted popular shades. Reg. \$13.00 for **\$10.00**

New Spring Dress Goods

New arrivals in Dress Fabrics are ever of keen interest at this season, when so many are planning Spring and Summer wardrobes. Here are some at Sale Prices.

KANTON CREPES.—In a full line of new colorings, 40 inches wide, wide. Reg. \$3.00 yard for **\$2.65**

STRIPED WOOL SKIRTINGS.—49 inches wide; Navy and Brown material, with smart and effective stripes. Regular \$2.40 yard for **\$2.10**

COTTON CREPES.—39 inches wide, in assorted pretty colorings. Reg. 40c. yard for **36c.**

DRESS LINENS.—30 inches wide, plain and striped patterns in good washing colors. Reg. 40c. yard for **35c.**

DAINTY VOILES.—Entirely new designs, dark grounds with fancy figured designs; double width. Reg. 85c. yard for **57c.**

COSTUME VELVET.—27 inches wide, self finished; colors of Black, Navy and Brown. Reg. \$3.00 yard for **\$2.65**

Special Offers from the Showroom



With an eye to Spring and Easter, these are money saving opportunities with savings NOW for the bright and genial days soon to come.

The New Dresses
We show a score of new models in Spring Dresses. They are all cut on simple lines and contrasted with a riot of richness in embroidery beaded and braided trimmings. The popular materials are Serge, Tricoline, Silk and Poplin; in all serviceable colors.
Prices \$6.75 to \$32.50

Women's D & A Corsets.
For slim and average figures, sport models, free hip, short boning, elastic tops; four elastic hose supporters. Reg. \$1.75 pair for **\$1.55**

Cotton Dust Caps.
Pretty designs, made of fancy Cotton, trimmed with narrow lace, elastic round edge. Reg. 18c each for **15c.**

Net Frillings.
2 inches wide, in White and Cream, suitable for waists and dresses. Regular 30c. yard for **26c.**

The New Coats
The new Coat styles for Spring are full and loose with the line of the shoulder, the arm holes are ample and free; cape and large collars frequently trimmed with self braid in very effective designs. Some of the more original styles are made of Gaberdine and Serge in shades of Navy, Fawn, Grey, Brown, etc.
Prices \$28.00 to \$65.00 each

Children's Rompers.
Colored Cotton Rompers to fit kiddies of 2 to 6 years, Blue and White striped patterns; Blue Linen collars; finished with belt and pockets; elastic at knee. Reg. \$1.00 each for **85c.**

Dressing Gowns.
Fancy Cotton Crepe; size 40 to 44; assorted pretty styles. Reg. \$1.90 ea for **\$1.62**

Rainproof Coats
A newly arrived lot of Women's Rainproof Coats, smart rubberized Tweeds in assorted checks, double breasted styles, turned up reverses and belt. Reg. \$28.00 each for **\$28.00**

Women's Mercerized Handkerchiefs.—White with colored borders; 12 inch square. Reg. 15c. for **13c.**

Women's Linen Handkerchiefs.—White with colored borders, nicely hem-stitched. Reg. 3c. ea. for **6c.**

Men's Lawn Handkerchiefs.—Mercerized finish, hemstitched borders; large size. Reg. 25c. each for **21c.**

Men's Lawn Handkerchiefs.—With neat colored borders. Reg. 30c. for **26c.**

A Profusion of Colors and Designs in Shirts and Ties



Men's Shirts.—With collar attached, neat colored stripes on white grounds; all sizes. Reg. \$1.55 each for **\$1.15**

Men's Negligee Shirts.—Cream grounds with colored silk stripes; soft cuffs and fronts; all sizes. Reg. \$2.40 each for **\$2.05**

Wide End Ties.
50 dozen Silk finished Ties, Poplins and Foulards, in a host of new designs. Reg. 45c. each for **41c.**

Boys' Blouses.—In fancy striped Percales, neat sport collars; all sizes. Special each **\$1.02**

Boys' Shirts.—Fancy striped cotton, soft fronts and cuffs; sizes 12 to 14. Reg. \$1.65 each for **\$1.40**

Boys' Flette Pyjamas.
Made of good strong Flanellette in assorted striped patterns, military coats, silk frogs and neat pockets for boys of 8 to 18 years. Reg. \$2.15 \$2.50 suit for **\$2.15**

Printed Fabrics for Hangings

600 yards high grade fabrics with reversible effects in tasty floral designs; adaptable for furniture coverings and hangings 45 inches wide. Regular \$1.35 yard for **\$1.08**

Art Satens.
In a great variety of handsome color designs; extra special quality, 30 inches wide. Reg. 95c. yard for **65c.**

Marquiseses and Scrims.
In White, Cream and Grey; 32 inches wide. 60c. values. Selling, per yard **25c.**

Linen Huckabuck Toweling.
18 inches wide. Regular 47c. yard for **41c.**

Glass Toweling.
Pink and Blue checks on White; 25 inches wide. Reg. 40c. yard for **35c.**

New Arrivals in Fancy Linens
A remarkable assortment of Fancy Linens—all newly arrived—are now awaiting your inspection. Hundreds of Sideboard, Centre, Tea and Tray Cloths, Towels, Dollies, Scarfs and Runners in a variety of pretty and effective designs.

Bedspreads.
Large White Cotton Bedspreads of heavy quality, will wash and wear well; assorted floral designs. Regular \$8.10 each for **\$6.50**

Booster Cases.
3 dose nonly, fine White Linen of soft smooth quality; size 20 x 70 inches; plain finish with wide hem. Reg. 95c. each for **82c.**

Blay Turkish Towels.
Size 23 x 46 inches; Blay with colored stripes. Reg. 65c. each for **57c.**

Table Centres.
White Linen with open work centres; drawn thread work and Battenburg lace borders; size 24 x 24. Reg. \$1.00 each for **85c.**

A Special Offer in Boys' Suits

Rugby Suits.
In assorted mixed Tweeds of Grey and Brown; to fit boys of 10 to 17 years.
Reg. \$14.50 for \$11.25
Reg. \$17.00 for \$12.00
Reg. \$18.50 for \$13.00
Reg. \$19.00 for \$13.50

Youths' Suits.
In assorted Brown and Grey mixed Tweeds; to fit youths of 14 to 20 years; long pants, plain or Kitchen backs.
Reg. \$14.50 for \$11.25
Reg. \$17.00 for \$12.00
Reg. \$18.50 for \$13.00

New Felt Hats
Newest shapes and colorings. Special each **\$3.75**

Footwear Bargains

Men's Tan Boots.—Semi-brogue styles, light soles and rubber heels; all sizes. **\$7.59**
Reg. \$8.95 pair for

Men's Gun Metal Boots.—Sizes 8 to 9. Balmoral style, receding toe, rubber heels. Reg. \$16.20 pr. for **\$10.80**

Women's Laced Boots.—Grey Kid, spoon heel, pointed toe, Grey Poplin tops; sizes 8 to 9. Reg. \$8.50 pair for **\$4.80**

Children's Skufflers.—Chocolate shades, double stitched finished; sizes 6 to 8. Reg. \$3.55 pair for **\$3.19**

Children's Button Boots.—White, Black and Chocolate Kid tops, chrome soles; sizes 1 to 5. Reg. \$1.90 pair for **\$1.68**

C. L. B. Cadets.



AMERICAN DOCTORS' GENEROSITY.

Before dismissing the parade on Tuesday night, Lieut.-Colonel R. F. Goodridge, of the C.L.B. Cadets, announced that Dr. R. S. Wetherell, a wealthy American, who had visited the Toppal Camp last year, had given ample proof of his interest in the Brigade's work by sending a cheque for \$50.00 towards this year's camp. The applause which greeted this announcement was sufficient proof of the Brigade's appreciation of Dr. Wetherell's generosity. He is at present in the Sudan but hopes to visit Newfoundland in the early part of the summer. Seton drill occupied the time of the companies Tuesday night as the Out-bridge Shield Competition will take place soon. The recruits had a very large turnout. They are progressing rapidly and another lot will soon be ready for posting.

A welcome innovation on Tuesday night was the changing of the guard before dismissal. This was regularly practiced at all parades previous to the war, and it was instituted again at the request of the Warrant Officers. It was announced in orders that there would be no parade on April 6th as the Armoury will be used that night for the indoor sports meet. Lieut. P. B. Rendell is orderly officer for the week and Lieut. A. B. Perlin is next for duty. Capt. F. Miles, of F Co. who has been on a lengthy leave of absence, returned to duty Tuesday night. The Adjutant, Major Tait, M.C. is unfortunately confined to his home with a severe cold and was not able to appear on parade. The work of the Brigade has been steadily progressing and will be given further impetus during the spring.

Foods of Former Days.

Perhaps we are too conservative in regard to our foods how-a-days, but reading of dishes of long ago we find them fearsome mixtures. Everything with anything in every possible way was apparently the motto of the cook of ancient times. Meats and fruits, fish and sugars, jam and oil; all were thrown together in what seemed to be a haphazard fashion, which resulted in hundreds of fantastic recipes. Vitamins, calories and proteinoids did not worry the ancient cook.

The Roman epicure rejoiced in meat that had ripened to decay. A valued combination in old England was the "marras" of fish, cut into small pieces, mixed with wine, and pounded; the resultant sauce being used to boil with the fish itself.

Shorn of its bewildering spelling the following is a specimen recipe of a dish the epicure of yesterday had to sit down to:

"Purée of sorrowful oils" Eels skinned, cut up, fried in oil with onions and parsley; to which was added cloves, powdered ginger, cinnamon, saffron and bread beaten up into a puree, with water, and passed through a strainer. Boiled up and flavored with claret. Whether it was the eel who was sorrowful or the person who ate it is not stated. Truly, "God may send a man good meat, but the Devil may send an evil coke to destroye it."

Surprises "Burglar's College" Graduate at Work.

A diploma from a San Francisco "college of burglars," signifying that he was a graduate thereof, was among the possessions of Charles Benson, 39, who was arrested here while at work drilling holes in a vestry of St. Patrick's Catholic Church, Providence, R.I.

Th Rev. Martin F. Reddy, pastor of the church, was awakened by the sound at a window opening in the church vestry and watched the intruder, with a full set of burglar tools, start drilling the door of the safe which held a portion of the parish funds. Officers were summoned and surrounded Benson, who hid behind the altar. When captured he said he had entered the church to get warm.

Among the possessions which the police secured from a checking room in a railway station were a full line of burglar's tools, flashlights and the diploma which showed him to be expert in his profession.

A Royal Hoax.

When Charles the Second, that royal was, founded the Royal Society, he asked the learned men who constituted it to tell him why the addition of a dead fish to water caused no increase in weight whilst the addition of a live one did. After they had pondered over this matter for a long time and came to no conclusion and admitted that fact, the King "who never said a foolish thing" asked, "Had you not better see whether things are as I said?" Of course, the whole thing was a hoax and there is no such difference as the King suggested.

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