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# EATON'S DAILY STORE NEWS

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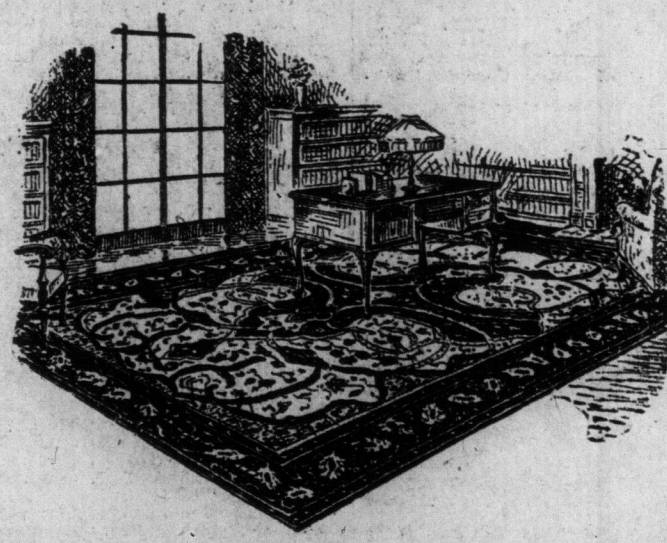


## Three Days of Sweeping Price Reductions in House Furnishings--Today, Friday and Saturday

Furniture, Draperies, Floor Coverings, Wall Papers, and Pictures, All Included in the Great Bargain Giving Event---Buy for Christmas Gifts---Buy for Home Use

Doubling up of stocks, due to uncertain conditions, is the reason—in some instances goods have been tumbling into the receiving rooms the past ten days, which have been on order for six months to two years. A great deal of these goods, practically given up, as lost, had been replaced as best we could—now comes the avalanche.

With these unusual conditions, unusual remedy is necessary, so for three days there will be a carnival of bargains that should delight the hearts of those who have been going slow on housefurnishings the past four years, or of those who want to give good, practical gifts for Christmas. These excellent bargains for today will give an inkling of the great savings. Come in the morning, if possible.



### Embroidered Pillow Cases, Gifts to Delight the Housewife's Eye

They are of fine Irish cotton, linen finished, and are made in the regular envelope style, with scalloped flags and edges—the flags gracefully embroidered, a square for monogram being left. The price, per pair, is but \$2.95.

Other styles of Japanese patterns, with hemstitched or scalloped ends. Still others show charming touches of hand-drawn work, at the ends or in the centre. The prices range from a pair, \$1.40 to \$1.75.

### Comforters and Blankets, Cosy and Attractive

The "Indian" blankets of such well-deserved popularity are to be had in dozens of effective patterns and colors, strongly in evidence being navy designs. Of thick cotton, closely napped to resemble wool, they are excellently light and warm; double bed size. Price, \$8.50.

—Second Floor, James St.

### Solid Oak Tables, \$1.90; Children's Play Sets, \$3.25 and Other Special Offerings in Furniture

Parlor or Bedroom Table, solid oak, golden or mahogany finish, 24 x 24-inch square top, with narrow rim, heavy turned post legs and lower shelf. Greatly reduced today, special, \$1.90.

Children's Play Sets, hardwood, natural finish, 20-inch round top, heavy turned post legs and four chairs, sliding underneath the table out of the way. Today, special, \$3.25.

Princess Dressers, selected quarter-cut oak, golden finish, has large oval shaped cheval mirror, scroll-shaped standard, 40-inch top, two small and one full length drawer, fitted with wood knobs. Price, \$23.50.

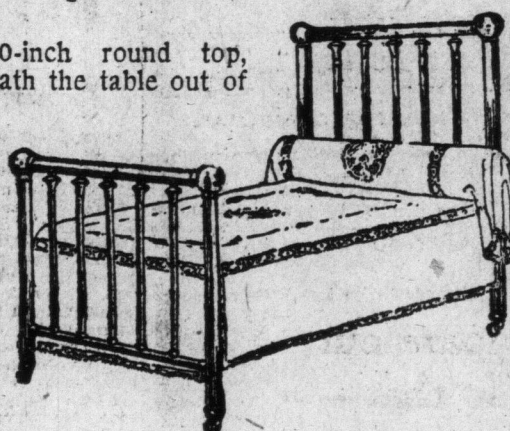
Dressers, in surface oak, golden color, neatly-shaped mirror frame and fitted with bevel plate mirror, 34-inch double top, panel ends, square corner posts and legs, three full-length drawers. Special price, \$8.95.

Bedroom Suite, solid oak, golden finish. Dresser has 20 x 24-inch bevel plate mirror, 36-inch top, panel ends, square corner posts and tapered legs, two small and two long, deep drawers. Clearing price, \$16.75.

Chiffonier, to match, clearing price \$15.50.

Dressing Table, to match, \$9.50.

Full-size Bedstead, with panel head and foot ends and heavy corner posts. Clearing price, \$9.00.



Brass Bedsteads, choice of two designs, one of which is illustrated, both have 2-inch posts and top cross rails with ball ends, heavy upright fillers, some in gallery effect, in satin, bright or ribbon finish; in 4 ft. and 4 ft. 6 inches wide. Greatly reduced. Price \$22.50.

—Furniture Building, James and Albert Streets.

### Household Linens Which Would Prove Welcome Gifts

Extremely handsome are some Table Cloths and Napkins of fine linen damask—made in Ireland. The cloths have plain centres with graceful border designs—of either broad circular bands and spots, or rambling roses. Moreover, the value is quite exceptional, since they were purchased a year ago and are priced correspondingly. The cloths measure 2 x 2 yards; the napkins, 24 x 24. Price, per set, \$17.25.

A gift which escapes the commonplace—that is what one aspires to, but finds so hard to achieve. These little luncheon cloths, however, meet the case ideally. Of fine Irish linen damask—exquisitely patterned in dainty designs of chrysanthemums, scrolls and bands. They have deep hemstitched hems and come in sizes suitable for the luncheon table.

Size 45 x 45 in., price, \$2.80; and Size 54 x 54 in., price, \$3.95.

Guest Towels of fine union huckaback, with fancy damask ends and borders, with space for monogram at one end. Size 14 x 21. Price, per pair, 66c.

Cotton Huckaback Hand Towels, as well finished that they are at value. Size 18 x 38, price, \$1.75; 18 x 45, price, \$2.00; 18 x 45, price, \$2.50.

Distinctive Bureau and Dressing Table Scarfs of heavy linen, with deep borders and ends of handsome imitation flax. Size 18 x 38, price, \$1.75; 18 x 45, price, \$2.00; 18 x 45, price, \$2.50.

—Second Floor, James St.

### Special! Floor Lamp and Shade, Complete, \$14.50

Mahogany Finished Lamp Stand—Artistic turned design, fitted with two-light brass fixtures and chain pull sockets, long cord and plug ready to attach to your lighting fixture or wall socket. Shade is in the popular Empire style, 24-inch size, made from plain silks trimmed with gimpes or galoons, deep fringed edge. Combination colors of rose, blue, gold or red. Special value today, lamp and shade, \$14.50.

### Chintz, Repp, Cretonne and Other Drapery Materials at Special Reduced Prices for Today

CHINTZES AND PRINTED REPP, HALF-PRICE, YARD, 40c.

32 x 36 inches wide in a host of dainty color combinations specially suited for bedroom use. Many excellent patterns, including tapestry, stripe, bird lattice, floral and conventional effects, printed on good firm cloth; included in this lot are many small designs on a repp weave of a soft hanging quality. Half-price, per yard, 40c.

HEAVY CHINTZ AND ART TAFFETAS, CLEARING AT 75c YARD.

Many large exclusive designs on blue, green, yellow, cream and black grounds, printed on an extra heavy quality cloth in practically every conceivable combination of colors. Suitable fabrics for slip-covers, portieres or upholstery. Less than half-price, per yard, 75c.

FINE NOTTINGHAM LACE AND FISH NET CURTAINS, PAIR, SPECIAL, \$2.95.

50 in. wide by 2 1/2 yards long; colors, white or ecru. Made of extra fine quality cotton yarn. A good assortment of designs, including plain, floral and medallion effects, finished Colbert overlook stitch edges. Today, half-price and less, per pair, \$2.95.

FINE SCOTCH AND MARQUETTE CURTAINS, HALF-PRICE, PAIR, \$1.98.

35 in. wide by 2 1/2 yards long, fine quality mercerized materials, showing handsome lace edges, with drawn work and medallion corners. Other have insertion with edging to match. All are

finished with a neat row of hemstitching one side and bottom. Today, half-price and less. Per pair, \$1.98.

CURTAIN NETS, SPECIAL, YARD, 39c.

Curtain nets in cream or ecru, double border design, with scalloped edges. Small conventional patterns and stripe designs, with straight edges. A large assortment collected for special selling and all reduced in price, making splendid values; 43 inches wide. Today, special, per yard, 39c.

SHADES AT HALF-PRICE, EACH, \$1.10 TO \$1.87.

White Scotch Holland (cotton) Window Shades, in wide widths only, either 42", 48" or 60" wide by 6 ft. long. These are of strong material, mounted on Hartshorn rollers, in our own work-rooms. Complete with brackets, nails and ring pull.

42 in. wide by 6 ft. long, \$1.10.  
48 in. wide by 6 ft. long, \$1.35.  
60 in. wide by 6 ft. long, \$1.87.  
Only 200 in all.

VELOUR, SPECIAL, YARD, \$1.69.

50-inch Velours, a clearance of odd pieces and sample lengths, odd colors and left-overs from this season's selling. A few stripes will be in the lot; not all colors, but many wanted and serviceable will be in the lot. Come now for your overdrapes or portieres needs. Some show slight imperfections, but these will scarcely be noticed in the hanging. Special, per yard, \$1.69.

—Fourth Floor, Yonge Street.

### Special Selling of Seasonable Wall Papers, Today

Many Other Extra Good Values Displayed Throughout Department Marked With Blue Ticket

VARNISHED TILE WALL PAPERS, HALF-PRICE, SINGLE ROLL, 14c.

Fancy block patterns, in blue or green on white grounds, coated with good grade varnish. Single roll, 14c.

ROOM LOT BUNDLES PAPER, HALF-PRICE AND LESS, EACH, 79c.

Enough wall, border and ceiling to cover any room size up to 12 x 14 x 9; fancy stripe patterns in light colorings suitable for bedrooms, attic-rooms, etc. Per bundle, 79c.

IMITATION FABRIC PAPERS, HALF-PRICE, SINGLE ROLL, 12 1/2c.

Plain Sidewall Papers, showing grasscloth and textile treatments in soft grey, blue, brown, buff, etc. Some brightened with gilt and black; appropriate for living-room, hall, library, etc. Single roll, 12 1/2c.

—Fourth Floor, Queen St.

T. EATON CO.

### Great Array of Extraordinary Values in Floor Coverings for Three Days' Special Selling

Today offers another unusual opportunity that are immense strike you on every quality that will bear up their reputation of opportunity. Come early and bring the sizes to save on the price of serviceable rugs and. Splendid designs, pleasing colors and eat service. Avail yourselves of this great opportunity.

#### FINE QUALITY WILTON RUGS, \$39.50 TO \$49.50.

Odd lots clearing at dollars less than present manufacturers' prices—unusual value and splendid designs for dining-room or living-room or office.

Size 9 x 9 feet. Special selling, \$39.50.

Size 9 x 10 1/2 feet. Special selling, \$43.50.

Size 9 x 12 feet. Special selling, \$49.50.

#### STURDY BRUSSELS RUGS, \$34.50 AND \$37.50.

English and domestic weaves—the last few rugs of lines the manufacturers had to discontinue for a time. Good serviceable colors, in Oriental and conventional effects.

Size 9 x 10 1/2 feet. Special selling, \$34.50.

Size 9 x 12 feet. Special selling, \$37.50.

#### HEAVY BRUSSELS RUGS, CLEARING, EACH, \$32.50.

In large sizes, clearing at remarkably low prices. Blue grounds, conventionals, tan and brown ground Orientals and other neat attractive styles. Clearing at one price. Sizes 17 ft. 3 in. x 12 ft., and 11 ft. 3 in. x 13 ft. 6 in. Clearing, each, \$32.50.

#### TAPESTRY SQUARES, \$11.95 TO \$18.50.

Remarkable value in strongly woven Tapestry Squares, suitable for bedrooms, sitting-rooms, or dining-rooms. Green, floral, brown, floral and rich Oriental effects.

Size 6 ft. 9 in. x 9 ft. Special selling, \$11.95.

Size 6 ft. 6 in. x 9 ft. Special selling, \$12.50.

Size 9 ft. x 12 ft. Special selling, \$18.50.

#### FELT BASE FLOOR COVERINGS IN A GREAT CLEARANCE FOR TODAY AT 53c SQUARE YARD.

An immense shipment of this practical floor covering, some slightly imperfect in printing, scarcely noticeable in some cases. Big variety of patterns, light, clean colors, suitable for kitchens, halls, bedrooms, etc.; 2 yards wide. Clearing price, square yard, 53c.

Floor Oilcloth, heavy quality, in parquet design, in rich oak color, well finished; 1 yard and 1 1/2 yards wide. Clearing, square yard, 49c.

Heavy Oilcloth Mats, manufacturers' seconds, fine for a kitchen, bedroom or sitting-room. Small conventional patterns, in fawn, green, red and brown. Size 7 ft. 6 in. x 10 ft. 6 in. Clearing, \$6.25.

—Fourth Floor, James St.

### TWO LIEUTENANTS DIE FROM WOUNDS

Lieut. G. Mayne, M.C., and Lieut. G. C. Cornwith Succumb to Injuries.

Lieut. G. R. T. Mayne, M.C., who thru shell wounds on Nov. 7 lost his left arm, is reported to have died Nov. 17. His wife was permitted to spend ten days with him in France. Word of his death was received by his father-in-law, J. T. Brookings, 29 Aldwych avenue.

Lieut. George C. Cornwith, 34th Battalion, has died of wounds received in action. Lieut. Cornwith, whose parents reside at 58 Wroxeter avenue, enlisted as a private and won his commission in France.

Sgt. Arthur W. Yell, M.M., who graduated from the School of Science in 1911, is reported to have died overseas in hospital. He won the Military Medal at Passchendaele while serving with the artillery.

Pte. Frederick W. Wardle has died of pneumonia, according to word received by his wife at 183 Bloor ave-

### CHARGE OF RAPE; BANKER ACQUITTED

Acting on instructions from Chief Justice R. M. Meredith at yesterday's session of the criminal assizes the jury returned a verdict of not guilty in respect to the charges of rape preferred against W. R. Travers, ex-manager of the defunct Farmers' Bank. The judge stated that there was no evidence on which to base a conviction. There was evidence, said his lordship, that the woman, Mrs. Alice Hillsman, had gone to the Travers apartments for the purpose of having relations with Travers.

The date of the alleged attempted offence, according to witnesses, was Nov. 9. Mrs. Hillsman in evidence stated that she bought some furniture from Travers, and that from that time on the prisoner had pestered her with his attentions. On Nov. 8 she received a letter from the prisoner demanding money. She immediately communicated with the detective department at the city hall. She and they collaborated together to trap the prisoner. She held a telephone conversation with Travers and the detectives "listened in." Travers asked her to go to his room. Later she and the detectives went to the prisoner's chambers. Finding that the

prisoner desired her to remain she turned to leave. He then attacked her and the detectives entered the room.

Plainclothesman Ward corroborated Mrs. Hillsman's evidence, and stated that he had gone along to find out why the prisoner demanded money. He was unprepared for the attempted assault upon the woman. Cross-examined by Crown Attorney Agar P.C. Ward stated that during the telephone conversation Mrs. Hillsman had spoken of a former visit to the prisoner's apartment.

"You knew, did you not," said A. W. Roebuck for the defence, "that in asking the woman to go to the prisoner's chambers you were sending her on an immoral errand?"

"No, I did not," replied the detective.

### SOLDIER-JOURNALIST CALLED TO THE BAR

Among those who will be called to the bar at Osgoode Hall today are Lieut. Fennel B.A., Toronto University, and Pte. J. P. C. Whalley of the O. C. Whalley graduated from Queen's University in 1913 and later edited The Peterboro Review. He is a brother of Thomas W. Whalley, proprietor of The Pembroke Standard.

### Surveyor's Riddle: "When Is a Chain Not a Chain?"

The case of Purty Springs v. the Municipality of Toronto is being continued today before Mr. Justice Lennox. This is an action on the part of the defendant company to recover property on the west bank of the Humber in the vicinity of Bloor street now held by the City of Toronto.

T. G. Lemay, surveyor in Toronto, was the last witness called yesterday afternoon to give evidence. He pointed out that in the early thirties when the Hawkins plans were drawn up the surveyors used what was known as a link chain, which differed materially from the chain now in use, which was practically a steel tape. The witness quoted several instances showing discrepancies which might arise between the evidence of surveyors of 1918 and that of those of 1834. He himself had measured distances of say, 75 or 77 chains in which the Hawkins notes for the same number of chains had shown additional lengths of many chains. In one case the witness had measured a certain distance as 75 chains, 30 links; in the Hawkins report the same distance was shown as 75 chains and 98 links. The witness, however, showed a discrepancy of ten chains from the findings of present day surveyors.

### VERDICT IS REVERSED IN WABASH RAILWAY CASE

Mr. Justice Rose, yesterday at Osgoode Hall reversed the verdict of the jury under Mr. Justice Britton, in the case of Pollick v. The Wabash Railway, in which the plaintiff had been awarded damages amounting to \$3000, in respect to an accident in which the plaintiff had been knocked down and injured by an engine of that railway. The evidence, said Mr. Justice Rose, was insufficient. The plaintiff who lived at Bridgeburg, was a section foreman at that town, and his counsel claimed that had the train which ran plaintiff down stopped before crossing at the point where there was no interlocking system, there would have been no accident.

### FOUND DEAD IN FIELD.

Brantford, Nov. 19.—Having been missed from his home since morning, the body of John Duncan, a well-known local restaurant owner, was discovered early in the evening in a field in West Brantford east of the C. E. and N. railway tracks. He had been dead some hours, it is believed he had an attack of heart trouble while out for a walk this morning.

### RED CROSS CONTRIBUTIONS FROM CIRCULATION MEN

The Canadian Red Cross Society has received, thru W. J. Darby, circulation manager of The Mail and Empire, \$200, which is the amount apportioned to the Canadian organization from an aggregate of \$500 donated for American and Canadian Red Cross purposes by the International Circulation Managers' Association, the above contribution being voted at their annual convention held last June in Washington, D.C.

### Sons of Temperance Rally for Referendum

Sons of Temperance delegates from the local divisions attended the 69th annual meeting of the grand division, which opened at the W.C.T.U. headquarters yesterday. J. M. Walton, G.W.P., of Aurora, presided.

In his annual address he declared that the Ontario Temperance Act had been a success, and recommended that the local divisions be called upon to organize immediately and to fall in behind the committee of one hundred in preparation for the referendum on the continuance of the prohibitory law.

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