Huntley Much Battered.

The wrecked schooner Huntley was towed to port yesterday afternoon by the tug Ingraham. The vessel was dragging on her beam ends when she was taken in tow near Petty Harbor, and great difficulty was experienced in getting her along, particularly while entering the Narrows. The derelict is moored at the Southside where a survey is being held on her. The vessel is badly battered, the bowsprit carried away, the deck house and the cabin completely demolished and the bow has been spli tabroad. The masts and rigging are still standing with the exception of the fore topmast which was brkoen off.

What It Means to Feed the World.

Can you imagine yourself glancing at moments at the world's mountains of food and beverages necessary to satisfy humanity's hunger and thirst for a year

The wheat alone would require for its transport a train long enough to circle the earth at the Equator, with two supplementary trains which would stretch their length across Europe from north to south. The train would be composed of 8,650,000 waggons, each holding ten tons of wheat; and to draw it would be no light work for a quarter of a million powerful engines.

France stands at the head of the meat-eating nations, with a weekly allowance of 9 lbs. for each inhabitant. Canada takes second place with 8 lbs.

Our mountain of rye outweighs all the population of the earth. So enormous is it that it would require for its conveyance a train 11,500 miles long, which, travelling at forty miles an hour, would take twelve days and nights to pass a given point. In our larder, too, are 34½ million tons of barley, 85 million tons of maize, and 63 million tons of oats. But all of these mountains of food are drawn into the shade by the 110 million tons of potatoes, which would fill eleven trains, each long enough to link the Ural mountains with Gibraltar.

As a potato-eater the Irishman takes first place with a consumption of 28 lbs. weekly. The German is a poor second, with a 22 lbs. allowance.

Of meat of all kinds the United States demands five million tons a year—a weight sufficient to raise the combined popuulation of the United Kingdom, France, Belgium and Holland into the air. Of this allowance the United States eats one pound of mutton to five pounds of pork and six pounds of beef. The Briton ranks second, with an average of 100 lbs. a year for each, and is followed by the Norwegian, Frenchman and Spaniard. Of eggs our world's larder contains at least 80,000 millions—a number sufficient to form a belt, six yards wide, around the earth's waist.

Canadians Second in Eggs.

The average citizen of the United States eats 130 every twelve months; the Canadian ranks second with a modest 90 a year; the Dane requires 70; and the Frenchman 58; while the Briton accounts for a modest 39.

John Bull, however, can claim to have the "sweetest tooth" in the world; for nothing less than 80 lbs. of sugar will satisfy him as his year's allowance; while the U. S. citizen finds 73 lbs. sufficient. The Frenchman is content with 25 lbs. Sweden has a sweeter tooth than Norway, requiring 20 lbs. to the Norseman's 12 lbs.; while the Spaniard can get on quite well with an annual 7 lbs.

Among beverages, the Briton takes the lead as a beer-drinker with an allowance of 30 gallons for each inhabitant. Denmark consumes 24 gallons per head; while 15 gallons quench the thirst of the U. S. citizen. The Dutchman and the Canadian drink 8 and 4 gallons respectively.

As a wine-bibber the Spaniard sets the pace with 35 gallons a year; leading the Frenchman by 4 gallons and the Italian by 11. The Briton and U. S. citizen are content with two quarts a year.

The Briton holds the premiership as a tea-drinker with 5½ lbs. a year, and has for "runner-up" the Canadian with 70 oz. The U. S. citizen is content with an annual pound and a half of the leaf that cheers. The Dutchman has such a weakness for coffee that he consumes 23 lbs. every months, or 50 per cent. more than his nearest rival, the Dane. The Belgian with an annual 11 lts. is followed by the U. S. citizen with 10 lbs.; the Swiss with 7 lbs., and the Frenchman with 3¼ lbs. every year.

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LADIES' SLIP-ON SWEATERS—All Wool, lovely things for Spring wear; cross-over collar, with tassel; others fluted collar; shaped at waist; in shades of Peacock, Salmon, Brown, Purple, Buff and Black; assorted sizes. Reg. $9.00. Friday, Saturday and Monday **$8.19**

TAFFETA SILK DRESSES—Ladies' handsome Taffeta Silk Dresses, in shades of Navy and Brown, as well as Black; embroidered fronts; others trimmed with Georgette buttons, etc.; assorted sizes. See this very pretty display. Reg. $25.00. Friday, Saturday and Monday **$17.98**

INFANTS' FEEDERS—Extra good quality Turkish Feeders, hemstitched; large size. Reg. 60c. Fri., Sat'y. & Mon. **44c.**

JAP SILK BLOUSES—Pretty shades in stylish Jap Silk Blouses for all occasions; tucked, hemstitched and lace trimmed; roll and sailor collar; shades of Rose, Flesh, Peach, Maize and Navy; 38 to 44 inch sizes. Reg. $3.75. Friday, Saturday and Monday **$3.19**

LADIES' MOREEN UNDERSKIRTS—Serviceable Moreen Underskirts with fluted flounce; shades of Green, Saxe, Navy, Grey, Rose, Purple, Brown and Black. Reg. $2.00. Friday, Saturday and Monday **$1.79**

CHILDREN'S COMBINATIONS—Great value in Jersey Combinations, ankle length, long sleeves; sizes to fit 2 to 12 years. Reg. $1.70 suit. Friday, Sat'y. & Mon. **98c.**

LAWN CAMISOLES—Some very dainty White Lawn Camisoles, with embroidery yoke; others with lace top and shoulder strap; others in all-over embroidery, with or without sleeve; ribbon beading. Reg. $2.80 Friday, Saturday & Saturday **$1.98**

LADIES' VESTS—Flesh shade fine Jersey Vests; square neck, ribbon strap shoulders; 38 to 44 inch size. Reg. $1.10. Friday, Saturday and Monday **84c.**

CELEPHANE BRAIDS—Fancy Celephane Braids for Millinery and Evening Dresses, etc., in mixed shades Pink and Gold, Navy and Gold, Henna and Gold; half inch wide. Reg. 30c. yard. Friday, Saturday and Monday **24c.**

HAT BANDS—Fancy Straw Hat Bands with pretty Straw Buckles; newest shades for the coming Spring. Reg. 85c. Friday, Saturday and Monday **67c.**

LINGERIE TAPE—Very handy pieces, 3 yards in each; shades of Pink, Blue and White, with bodkin for putting ribbon through; fast, fadeless shades. Reg. 15c. piece. Friday, Saturday and Monday **11c.**

Venetian Dress Cloths and Raglan Cloths

VENETIAN DRESS CLOTHS—A special offering of beautiful Venetian Dress Cloths in shades of Navy, Saxe, Henna, Burgundy, assorted Greys, Brown and Black. Reg. $6.00 yard. Friday, Saturday and Monday **$4.79**

RAGLAN CLOTHS—60 inch Raglan Cloths, extra fine texture, bought at a special price. Just the cloth for making up your own or the girls' Raglan; shades of Fawn and Grey. Reg. $4.50 yard. Friday, Saturday and Monday **$2.95**

HURRY!

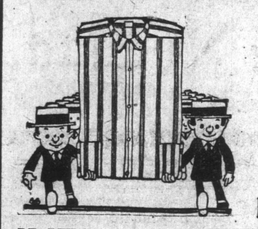
For These Values in BOYS' ENGLISH and AMERICAN SUITS

BOYS' SPRING SUITS.
Smart snappy styles in Boys' American two-piece Suits; patch pockets, belted style, in assorted tweeds; to fit from 8 to 15 years. Regular $24.00 and $25.00 Suits. Friday, Saturday & Monday **$12.15**

BOYS' 3-PIECE SUITS.
Manly-looking 3-piece Bedford Suits for boys from 10 to 15 years; Mixed Greys and Browns, in service-giving English Tweeds. Regular to $21.00 suit. Friday, Saturday & Monday **$14.95**

YOUTHS' BRACES.
The "Times" Brace; strong, sensible and sevirceable Braces for boys of all ages. Special Friday, Saturday and Monday **42c.**

MARSHALLING OUR BEST SHIRT VALUES



To The Fore for Friday, Sat. & Mon.

DE LUXE SHIRTS — This line brings you our regular $5.50 American Negligee Shirts, self and colored stripe, soft cuffed. Special Friday, Saturday and Monday **$3.15**

MEN'S BLACK SATEEN SHIRTS—One of the strongest and best wearing Shirts we have ever seen; reinforced stitching, full fitting sizes; collared. Regular $4.00. Friday, Saturday & Monday **$2.90**

BOYS' TOP SHIRTS, $1.69—These are collared and show smart looking striped patterns on white ground. Reg. $2.00 value. Friday, Saturday & Monday **$1.69**

MEN'S BRACES—Reliable "Times" Braces for men; best English make; will outwear any other brand. Reg. 85c. Friday, Saturday & Monday **75c.**

MEN'S TUNIC SHIRTS — These new Shirts have full size body; good clean looking striped patterns, soft cuffs and a neat fitting detachable collar with each shirt. Reg. $3.50. Friday, Sat. & Monday **$3.30**

MEN'S SOFT FELTS—Inexpensive Soft Felts; shades of Moss, Green, Myrtle, Slate and Brown; wide corded band; nobby shape. Special Friday, Saturday and Monday **$3.35**

MEN'S BLACK SOCKS—Fast Black Spring weight Cashmere finish Socks, in assorted sizes. Get a few pairs, it will pay you. Special Friday, Saturday & Monday **29c.**

MEN'S LACED BOOTS—In Vici Kid, Box Calf and Gun Metal; dependable, every pair of them. Boots for Sunday and Boots for knockabout wear. Values up to $9.00. Friday, Saturday and Monday **$4.49**

If You Are Making Up Snmmer Frocks SEE What We Feature This Week in DAINTY SHEER FABRICS AT PRE-WAR PRICES

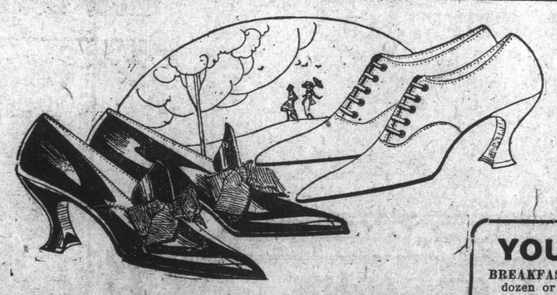
HALF MOURNING VOILES.
Several pieces of double width Half Mourning Voiles are featured for this week's clearance; narrow striped and check patterns. Reg. $1.60 yard. Friday, Saturday & Monday **98c.**

SILK STRIPED DRESS VOILES
White ground with almost any shade silk stripe you want, double width; also a few pieces of plain Wash Voiles in Pink, White and Black. Reg. up to $1.80. Friday, Saturday and Monday **$1.08**

FIGURED VOILES.
A dozen pieces or so of good-looking Figured Dress Voiles in small or large patterns; double width, washable, and just what you would like for Summer frocks. Reg. $1.00 yard. Friday, Sat. & Monday **62c.**

NEW WASH GINGHAMS.
32 inch Wash Ginghams, the latest in pretty frock materials; your choice of small anr large plaid patterns. Special, Friday, Saturday and Monday, yard **47c.**

WHITE JEAN.
See these excellent goods; has a very soft finish, and is well known for its serviceability for Skirts, Middies and such like. Special Fri., Sat'y. & Mon. **53c.**



DOUBLE-WIDTH Tweeds for Men and Boys

Pretty mixed Greys for making up Boys' Norfolk and other style Suits. Tweeds that will stand hard wear; double width. Reg. $3.50 yard. Friday, Saturday and Monday **$2.00**

DOING OUR LEVEL BEST LEVELLING PRICES on HOSIERY as well as on sound Spring Footwear

BOYS' HOSIERY—Stout ribbed, fast black, good wearing Stockings for boys of all ages. Reg. up to 85c. Friday, Saturday and Monday **65c.**

LADIES' PLAIN HOSE—148 pairs of plain Black and real Dark Tan Cashmere finish Spring Hosiery. 60c. value. Friday, Saturday & Monday **49c.**

CHILDREN'S TAN HOSIERY—Choice looking Dark Tan full ribbed Hosiery, fast colour; all sizes to fit from 2 to 16 years. All one price **49c.**

MISSES' CALF BOOTS—Sizes 12 to 2 in well made Box Calf Laced Boots for girls. Reg. $3.70. Friday, Sat. & Monday **$3.29**

GIRLS' & BOYS' BLACK HOSIERY—Fine ribbed fast Black Hosiery, with double woven toe and heel; these are splendid value. Reg. up to 80c. pair. Friday, Saturday and Monday **49c.**

INFANTS' BOOTS—Sizes 3 to 6 in Laced Dongola Boots; very easy footwear for little feet. Reg. $1.50. Friday, Saturday & Monday **$1.19**

WOMEN'S $1.25 RUBBERS FOR 89c.—"MERCHANT'S" Storm and Low Cut Rubbers in sizes from 2½ to 7. Quality Rubbers. Regular $1.25. Friday, Saturday and Monday **89c.**

WOMEN'S DONGOLA BOOTS—Laced and Buttoned Dongola Boots, showing medium heel and fairly broad toe; comfortable Boots for Spring wear. Reg. $5.00. Friday, Saturday and Monday **$3.49**

LADIES' PLAIN HOSE—The very largest size, fashioned-leg Hosiery, with vamp; fast Black. Reg. 75c. pair. Friday, Saturday & Monday **59c.**

WOMEN'S OXFORD SHOES — Very neat looking Laced Dongola Shoes, military or spool heel, pointed toe. Reg. $8.00. Friday, Saturday and Monday **$6.49**

SPECIAL!

50 INCH CASEMENT CURTAININGS.

This is a big week for Curtains and Curtainings at Baird's. We overlooked these few pieces of Casement Cloths, fancy figured with pretty floral borders. Reg. $1.20 yard. Friday, Saturday and Monday **87c.**

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YOU SAVE ON THESE

BREAKFAST CLOTHS—A dozen or two of unbleached Table Cloths with Crimson striped border; fringed edge. Reg. $2.40. Friday, Saturday & Monday **$1.98**

PLAIN WHITE SHEETS—Snow White Super-Spun Bed Sheets, with broad hemmed end; plain finish; superior grade. Reg. $6.50 pair. Friday, Sat'y. and Mon. **$5.75**

UNBLEACHED TOWELS—Family size Turkish Towels, soft, full finish; Crimson or Blue striped; 70c. value. Friday, Saturday and Monday each **59c.**

ORIENTAL MADRAS CURTAININGS—A couple of pieces in Electric, Rose and Old Gold shades; uncommon looking hangings for folding doors; a piece of each shade. Reg. $2.00 yard. Friday, Sat'y. & Mon. **$1.45**

RUBBER HEELS—O'Sullivan's, Black or Tan, in all sizes.
Ladies Sizes—pair 30c.
Gentlemen's Sizes—pr. 35c.

DUSTERS—Pound Dusters, put up in bundles; soft Khaki Cloth, free from dressing. Have a bundle. Friday, Saturday and Monday **49c.**

SHOPPING BAGS—In fine Jap strwa; lined throughout; draw string handle; convenient size. Special Friday, Saturday and Monday **32c.**

DOLLS! DOLLS—Character Dolls, in their Gingham gowns await their little mothers here. Friday, Saturday and Monday **55c.**

STRAW HAT DYES—An easy, simple and quick process for covering your last year's hat. Special bottle **29.c**

CUPID PICTURES—In 8 x 10 Oval Frames of imitation Walnut. Each Fri., Sat'y. & Mon. **48c.**

MILITARY HAIR BRUSHES
The Ideal Brush to keep your hair in shape; use a pair for quickness; singly. Friday, Saturday and Monday **19c.**

DRESSING COMBS — Black or White; strong make; usual values to 35. Friday, Saturday & Monday **27c.**

SPECTACLES—A new assortment just to hand; Gilt rimmed. Fri., Sat'y. and Mon. **45c.**

Scene of Strife is Rich in Folk-Lore.

Recent news despatches from Ireland contained the story of an ambush and battle between Sinn Feiners and Crown forces in the Slieve-na-mon country, County Tipperary.

To those who have read and studied the history of Ireland the name will strike a familiar chord.

The Valley of Slieve-na-mon is a country rich in historical interest. Many of the stirring events which grace the annals of Irish history have been enacted there. Perhaps in no other section of southern Ireland will you find such a wealth of historic events, such a storehouse of folk-lore and fairy legends and such typically Irish people as you will find in this section.

It was here in 1848 that Smith O'Brien and the Young Ireland Party gathered their forces; it was here a pitched battle took place between them and the Royal Irish Constabulary and British military, and it was here occurred many of the stirring events of the Fenian rebellion.

The Valley of Slieve-na-mon is so-called from the mountain of that name which at times towers aloft cold, dark and repellant, but when clothed in the soft gray mists of early morning or bathed in the glamor of an Irish sunset is truly a sight to gladden the senses. The valley embraces part of that section of Tipperary called the Golden Vale of Munster, said to be the richest farming land in all of Ireland.

Away to the northeast is the famous Devil's Bit Mountain, another of the Galtee range. It was on this Mountain that Cromwell is said to have stood when he turned to his soldiers and said: "This is indeed a land well worth fighting for."

The sides of the mountain are very steep and the climb a hard one, but the view well repays for the trouble. Away to the north a vista of wonderful blue hills and little green valleys and afar off a glimpse of the lardly Shannon and to the south the beautiful Golden Vale dotted over with little white-washed cottages and farm houses. Further south is the famous Rock of Cashel, the seat of the Kings of Munster, a very interesting series of ruins and well worthy a visit.

Romantic Abduction.

Rathronan, in the vicinity of which the recent Sinn Fein ambushes occurred, was the scene of a most romantic abduction some years ago, when the lovely and charming Miss Arbuthnot was abducted by Carden of Barnane, who was owner of one of the most beautiful estates in Ireland. During the Fenian uprising, the Carden estate also figured in one of the most sensational murder trials of the time after an agent of the then absentee landlord Carden was shot. The Carden estate lies immediately south of Devil's Bit Mountain.

There is a story attached to every place of note in Ireland and it goes without saying that the Devil's Bit has one. If you visit any of the peasant homes in the valley, the woman of the house will tell you this story as she bustles about preparing you a cup of tea:

One day, the devil, through some mistake, landed in the Emerald Isle and, having lost his way, became very hungry. He dare not enter any peasant's cabin and ask for food or shelter for he knew that few and far between were the homes where a little wooden cross was not hanging on the wall.

He sat down at the foot of the mountain a while and was sorely troubled. But on looking up he saw a goat making its way up the rough mountain side and instantly he was on his feet. He started in hot pursuit, but the goat being very nimble, as are most of his kind, seemed to be getting the best of the race.

Enraged with fear of losing his prey the ruler of the lower regions let out a terrific roar and opening his huge mouth bit a hole out of the mountain side. And the "bit" is there to-day to show itself. And if you are a doubting Thomas you will find the rocks which he could not swallow scattered over the mountain side, some of them large enough to build a good-sized house.

Glamor and Romance.

There are many other tales and legends told concerning these Tipperary mountains and as we wander along their heather covered sides and the glamor and the romance of the Irish atmosphere creeps into our being, we can readily believe in them all.

The country around Slieve-na-mon is the country that Charls J. Kickham, the Tipperary poet and writer, immortalized in his famous "Knocknagow," a book that has been read and reread by all who love the land of the shamrock and which you will find in even the meanest cabin home in Tipperary. It was the same country the Irish poet Davis had in mind when he wrote:

"You see him in his cabin rude,
Or dancing with his dark-haired Mary,
You'd swear they knew no other mood
Than mirth and love in Tipperary."

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