

**Children's Dresses at 99c.**

A dainty Striped Galatea and Serge Dress, with Blue Serge Collar and Cuffs, Red Cord and Tassel, Red Pearl Buttons to match; to fit from 5 to 14 years. Regularly sold at \$1.40. January Sale Price . . . **99c**

**Children's Hose**

20 doz. of Children's Fast Black Hose You'll need to get in early.

to be cleared in a single day, and they're going cheap too at 18c. and 20c. per pair. 15 doz. Children's Tan Hose. Better buy them now, they'll be scarce later. January Sale Price . . . **25c**

**Children's Mittens, from 19c. up**

We are now handing out to you a dainty little Mitten for children, to fit ages of from 4 to 8 years. They're great value for the money. The shades are White, Navy and Tan, and the price from, **19c** Just what you've been looking for

**Women's Hose, at 20c. p. pr**

Here is a real good old-fashioned pair of Stockings—we mean old-fashioned quality; strong and serviceable, at per pair . . . **20c**

Another line of 55c. Cashmere Hose regularly, will be cleared during Sale at, per pair . . . **35c**

**Ladies' Costumes**

We have a few to clear at a bargain in Fancy Tweeds. Come in and see them, will you?

**SPECIALS.**

HONEYCOMB & MARCELLA QUILTS from \$1.50. ENDS DRESS GOODS (Remnants) marked away down. REMNANTS GINGHAM.

50 doz. MEN'S COLLARS at 5c. per Collar.

COT BLANKETS.

BOYS' OVERCOATS AND REEFERS.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

All must be cleared regardless of price.

GREAT TIME TO BUY TAPESTRY TABLE COVERS.

**J. M. DEVINE'S****Great JANUARY Sale!**

of General Dry Goods has been launched to-day and bumper bargains await all who will avail of this greatest of opportunities. Now, note carefully the price of every item. When you sit down at night make an honest comparison with goods you will read in other ads., and retire at a reasonable hour with a steel clad resolution in your mind to make us prove what we're talking about in the morning at 9 o'clock. The Goods:—

**Ladies' Wool Gloves, from 25c. up**

We offer during Sale many dozen pairs Ladies' Wool Gloves in Fancy Brown and other shades from, up **20c** Good time to buy these Gloves.

**Ribbons in all Widths and Shades**

You will be pleased to know that we are showing at reduced prices, in all shades and widths, a very complete stock of Ribbons in Silks and Satins. You would do well to look through our Fancy Silk Ribbons, they are certainly interesting.

**Blouse Bargains**

In our Blouse Department we have many snaps. You can get a pretty White Lawn Blouse for . . . **75c**

And we'll even do better than that. You will find two or three dozen slightly soiled White Lawn Blouses that sold at 80c., 90c. and \$1.50. Your choice during Sale, each . . . **49c**

**D & A Corsets & Devine's**

When you think of D. & A. Corsets you must think of Devine's. This is because we have been telling you for years that they are the best, and it simply is that, because they are the best, we can afford to talk out loud about them.

\$1.00 for . . . **75c.**  
\$2.00 for . . . **\$1.70**  
\$1.50 for . . . **\$1.29**

We have a special at 45c. These prices are only for our January Sale. You'll buy from us as usual, won't you?

**Flannelettes and Curtain Nets**

You will be delighted with our stock of White and Pink Flannelettes at the old price of from 10c. up during Sale.

**The Biggest Bargain of all.**

LADIES' UNDERWEAR. 25 doz. Ladies' Fleece Lined Vests that sold at 45c. each. Out they go . . . **29c** during January Sale at, each . . . **29c**

Now, come early for these, they won't last long.

**Ladies' Hair Combs**

Beautiful hair beautifully dressed has won the admiration of the greatest down through the ages. During this Sale, ladies, you will have a chance to purchase the most stylish Combs that are made in Peru, Shell and Amber; also a grand assortment of Pins and Barrettes. Prices are for Combs from 20c. to \$1.50 per pair. All reduced during Sale.

**Now, Men, We are after You HOME KNIT DRAWERS.**

We have the real thing made from the wool of Newfoundland sheep and knit in the good old-fashioned way. Very warm and serviceable. During Sale, **\$2.50** per pair . . . **\$2.50**

**Mittens for Men**

20 doz. White Wool Mittens, local knit. Usually 30c. per pair. During Sale . . . **20c**

Men's Leather Cuffs, per pair . . . **45c**

Men's Leather Cuffs, wool wristlet, very strong, horse hide; asstd. shades. Usual price \$1.00. Sale Price . . . **75c**

A very classy line Leather Gloves at, per pair . . . **45c**

Men's Wool Gloves, Aberdeen . . . **85c**

**You will be pleased with our Showing of White Goods. COME EARLY.**

**Men's Shirts**

A strong Regatta Working Shirt, with collar attached; all sizes. During Sale . . . **49c**  
CAPS WITH KNIT AND FUR BAND, from 50 c.

We are featuring the Eastern Cap in very stylish Tweed. Most comfortable Cap made, from, up . . . **1.50**

The newest in Caps is the "Mackinaw," Plaid effects. They have taken the U. S. A. and Canada by storm. Selling from 80c. to \$1.50.

**American Pants from \$2.00**

If you are needing a pair of American made Pants to be worn with belt or braces, see our showing during Sale. Well tailored and goods that will wear . . . **1.99**

**Boys' Pants**

A very strong Boys' Pants in good Tweed. Usually \$1.00 per pair. During Sale . . . **85c**

**Men's Overalls,**

SWEET-ORR AND OTHERS.

Here's where we come in. You get the best in Overalls here without a doubt. As follows:

Blue Derry (local) . . . **.65c.**

Sweet-Orr, the world's best Overall—the Overall that outlives all others. Carpenters, Railwaymen, Engineers and Longshoremen insist on having Sweet-Orr brand. Prices from \$1.99 per pair up.

**TOWELS.**

Worth your while to see our immense showing of Turkish and other Towels. A huge pyramid of real Towel value stands at the door waiting for you. Prices from 10c. to 49c. per Towel all reduced. Hundreds of yards of Toweling from, up . . . **8c**

**Open FRIDAY EVENINGS till 9.30**

**J.M. Devine**  
THE RIGHT HOUSE

**U. S. is Satisfied Britain Has Enough Ships to Work.**

Washington, Jan. 18.—England has the ships to make an actual blockade of the entire German coast effective, it is decided upon such a measure. The U. S. Navy Department has furnished the State Department convincing evidence of that point.

Naval officials are practically of one opinion. From three Admirals today the United Press obtained explanations which can be summed up thus:

"It would take no more ships and no more money to establish an effective blockade of Germany, as the term is understood in international law."

The three officers agreed that so far as naval law is concerned, the British fleet now have the situation completely in hand. All that is needed, they said, to make the blockade

legal, as differentiated from the fleets' activities under Orders-in-Council, is for the Government to declare it and turn over the handling of the blockade to the Navy.

British warships, the naval officers assert, would not have to lie off German ports or even near by. They would only have to demonstrate ability to prevent ships carrying supplies of any kind from reaching enemy ports. This could be done at considerable distance from Austro-German waters.

British men-o-war could stop and seize all cargoes on route to neutral ports, also, upon proof of ultimate enemy consumption. This would be the principal hardship upon neutrals of an actual blockade—probable seizure, upon mere suspicion, of neutral-bound cargoes, without substantial evidence.

That the Austrian Government would be bound by Civil War blockade precedents in this situation is an embarrassing prospect. During the blockade of the Confederacy, British

ships with cargoes destined for Mexico and Nassau were seized, over British protests, the seizures being upheld by the Union Government's proof that the goods were destined for blockade-runners willing to take a change of getting by the warship cordon at Confederate ports.

**HAIR COMING OUT?**

Dandruff causes a feverish irritation of the scalp, the hair roots shrink, loosen and then the hair comes out fast. To stop falling hair at once and rid the scalp of every particle of dandruff, get a 25-cent bottle of Danderline at any drug store, pour a little in your hand and rub it into the scalp. After a few applications the hair stops coming out and you can't find any dandruff.

**A DILEMMA.**

My friend is dead, while yet so young! Pneumonia in his starboard lung defied the learned physicians' skill, and laughed to scorn the healing pill. And all his days he was on guard against disease; kept watch and ward, to see that no disgusting germ should through his mouth or nostrils squirm. And when convinced that some disease was throwing microbes on the breeze, he breathed through anti-septic gauze—

—took all the care that ever was. While others scratched for fame or wealth, he only thought about his health, and studied up the hygienic rules of all the foremost health-fad schools. He used a sanitary bed, and lived on milk and oatmeal bread, and walked nine miles, in rain or blast, each day before he broke his fast. His life has closed before its noon, and I, who care no playmate for rules laid down by mortal man, but eat and drink what'er I can, am here to mourn my friend's decease, and wish his spirit joy and peace.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

**Calls Solicitor of Recruits in U. S. an Imposter.**

Washington, Jan. 14.—Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, British Ambassador to the United States, yesterday notified the State Department that some person who has been going under the name of "Major Greenhields" and offering commissions to American citizens to serve in the Canadian Expeditionary Force to the war in Europe is an imposter.

Stacks of mail have been received at the post office at Windsor, Ontario, opposite Detroit, for this "Major Greenhields" containing acceptance of Americans to whom he has offered commissions.

The British authorities assert that there is no "Major Greenhields" in the British army and that they are anxious to lay hands on the perpetrator of this fraud.

The supposition is that "Major Greenhields" letters were written in an effort to create the impression that British officers were violating the neutrality statutes of the United States, which prohibit the enlistment of men in this country to serve in the war. The memorandum submitted to the State Department by the British Ambassador reads as follows:

"According to information which reached the State Department, one Major Greenhields offered a commission to an American citizen, a student of Illinois University. Major Greenhields cannot be identified, and there is reason to believe the letter was written for fraudulent purposes."

"It is reported from Canada that stacks of mail are waiting for 'Major Greenhields' at the post office of Windsor, Ontario. All contain acceptance from Americans to whom he has offered commissions. As he is unknown to the military authorities, steps will be taken to punish the fraud if committed on Canadian territory."

Small bits left from meat or fish should be saved and used in potato puddings.

**Five Great Reforms.**

The Hindu (Calcutta)—His Excellency Lord Hardinge's name will be associated with five great measures, initiated by the Government of India in recent years, which are calculated to sensibly raise the positions of India among the Colonies and Dependencies of the British Empire. The first was the bold support extended to the cause of British Indians in South Africa, culminating in a satisfactory solution, so far at least as the more important disabilities were concerned, of a longstanding question which had been complicated by a series of most oppressive acts perpetrated by a selfish white population drunk with race hatred. Almost simultaneously with this high-minded interference the Viceroy announced his desire to compose the differences between India and the other parts of the Empire in respect of the treatment of Indian settlers, on the basis of a reciprocity which though its elements have evoked an almost unanimous disapproval in India, yet has been the outcome of a genuine and statesmanlike desire to uphold the dignity and self-respect of Indians, in relation to the other British subjects of the Empire. The third act of the Government of India in the regime of Lord Hardinge, which is pregnant with great possibilities, is the thoughtful decision to request the Government of England to allow Indian forces to take an active part in the greatest war of history and fight alongside of the armies furnished by the other parts of the Empire. The adoption by the Imperial Conference is another event which with the Viceroy's noble plea for a peace, for India, will be ever gratefully remembered though the results of such participation may not be felt for some time. The last and the latest act is the Despatch to the Secretary of State which is stated to have been now forwarded recommending the abolition of the system of recruiting Indian labour by contract of indenture, and it is particularly auspicious for the ending of a most abominable practice which replaced slavery and to which even the Negroes refused to submit, that the decision embodied in that Despatch is reported to have had the unanimous approval of the Viceroy's Executive Council.

**For long hours**

To the busy man the value of OXO CUBES cannot be over-estimated. A cupful of OXO and a few biscuits provide a light, satisfying repast at any moment required, and save the time expended on a heavy meal.

To make a cup of OXO with an OXO CUBE is so quick and simple—drop an OXO CUBE into a cup of hot water—stir—and with a few biscuits lunch is ready.

An OXO CUBE is a glass of hot milk, a pleasant-tasting and most refreshing beverage during the strain of a busy day.

**A CUBE TO A CUP**

Time of 4, 10, 20 and 100 Cubes.

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**GUESTS AT BALMAIN PLACE.**—E. J. Sanson, Winterton; W. F. Penney, Carbonara.

Housewives should regard nuts, raisins and dates as foods rather than luxuries.

**To Cure a Cold in One Day.** Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c. nov19,11f

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**THEY REFUSE TO EAT**

At periods in most children's lives they fail to relish their meals and refuse to eat even the delicacies prepared to tempt their appetites. They lack ambition and growth seems impeded, which causes anxiety and worry.

To compel them to eat is a grave mistake, because nutrition is impaired. Healthful exercise in fresh air and sunshine is important, but equally important is a spoonful of Scott's Emulsion three times a day to feed the tissues and furnish food-energy to improve their blood, aid nutrition and sharpen their appetites.

The highly concentrated medicinal food in Scott's Emulsion supplies the very elements children need to build up their strength. They relish Scott's—it is free from drugs. Avoid substitutes. Scott & Bowne, Toronto, Ont.

**Your Boys and Girls.**

Teach your child how to place his feet correctly from the moment he takes the first step. Then be most careful in the selection of his shoes. Allow the baby in long clothes to go barefooted unless you note that his feet are inclined to be cold. In this