

WOODS' FAIR

SPECIAL SALE OF JUGS—On SATURDAY AT 15c.

6 dozen Beautifully Decorated English Porcelain Milk Jugs, size about 1 pint and a half and worth regular 25c. Saturday price, special 15c

40c COVERED SAUCE PANS—SPECIAL AT 25c
About three dozen Covered Sauce Pans, in best 4-coat blue enamel, size 3 quarts and regular price 40c. Special Saturday price 25c

JAP SILK WAISTS \$1.95 ON SATURDAY
Japanese Silk Waists, in black and white, with front made with fine cluster tucks, square yoke, and collar, of fine Valenciennes lace, and three-quarter length sleeves, sizes from 34 to 42, regular \$2.25. Special Saturday price \$1.95

UNLINED NET WAISTS, \$3.75 EACH
Net Waists, in two different styles, one figured net, with round yoke of insertion and medallions, and another made of plain net with front and sleeve trimmed with insertions, sizes 34 to 40, regular \$4.75, to clear out, Saturday \$3.75

RUBBER BELTS.
Rubber Belts, studded in steel, red, brown, navy and black color. Special sale price, Saturday 25c

MEN'S BALBRIGGAN SHIRTS—CLEARING PRICE ON SATURDAY, EACH 25c.

After a big season's selling we have only a few dozen Men's Balbriggan Underwear left, which we are bound to clear up on Saturday.

Shirts that were 39c, Saturday clearing price 25c

Shirts and Drawers, regular 50c, clearing price 35c

SWISS EMBROIDERED SHAMS, DRESSER AND STAND COVERS, Reg. 45c and 50c. Saturday price 25c

We have about 3 dozen of the above goods. Some are slightly soiled, but otherwise are first-class, and sell regularly from 40c to 50c. To clear them out on Saturday you can take your choice for 25c

GLASS TOWELING
Special line of Glass Towelling, red and white check. Extra special, at, per yard 5c and 8c

TWENTY CASES MORE SAFELIGHT MATCHES AT 3 BOXES FOR 10c.

If you want a good match at a small price try three boxes of Safelight Silent Matches on Saturday. Regular 5c a box. Special bargain price 3 boxes for 10c

ENVELOPES AND WRITING PADS.

Twenty-five Good Envelopes and a regular 10c Writing Pad, on Saturday, the two articles for 10c

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PREMIER LAURIER AT BERLIN

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how close its welfare had been to Sir William's thought, and how its organization had fallen so largely into Mr. King's hands. Hon. Mr. Lemieux dealt with the great success of Mr. King had made him the attribute of the initial work of the abolition of "sweating" on Government contracts; the "fair wages" resolution, and the establishing of the Labor Gazette. Mr. King's work under the old conciliation act had been most satisfactory.

The Lemieux act was based very largely on the representations made by Mr. King after his investigation into the Lethbridge coal strike. Touching on the unrest that has prevailed for some time in connection with Oriental immigration in British Columbia, the speaker gave much credit for the settlement of the trouble to Mr. King.

"As to rural delivery," continued the address at a later point, "Mr. Burden accuses the Government of stealing his policy. Such a cry is trifling. The system of rural mail delivery has been for years in vogue in the United States. There has never been any question of the desirability of some such a system, but the question has been only one of practicability. It has become practicable only because of the unexampled prosperity the country has enjoyed during the twelve years of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's rule."

"I look forward to the largest and best results from the new departure. Not only will it have the direct effect, wherever it is introduced, of giving the resident in the country an opportunity of having his letters delivered at his house, but the educative effect of having a daily newspaper delivered at the farmer's breakfast table or dinner table will speedily be felt throughout Canada. An educated and informed rural community means increased prosperity and enlarged commerce, higher ideals and a higher level of civilization."

The Premier concluded with a stirring appeal to the country to show its appreciation of the magnificent work of Sir Wilfrid Laurier. Sir Wilfrid Laurier has done for Canada in the last twelve years, and to send to the House a candidate whose very name and lineage stood for high principles, good statesmanship and the welfare of the people.

The Premier.
When Sir Wilfrid rose to speak there was great cheering and waving of handkerchiefs and flags, the while the band of the 29th Regiment played "O Canada." Before the cheers had subsided Mayor Huber stepped forward and presented an address of welcome on behalf of the town, and he was followed by Mr. E. P. Clement, who handed the Premier an address from the Liberals of the North and South ridings of the County of Waterloo.

A little girl then presented the Premier with a beautiful bouquet of flowers, and had her reward. There was a renewed outburst of cheers when Sir Wilfrid began his address.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier said: "I can assure you that in an experience that goes back for many years I have never stood before an audience, as I do now, with such a feeling of hope and confidence, and even enthusiasm. There is inspiration in the air. There is inspiration in the speeches which I have heard. There is inspiration in this audience, which I believe, is the most representative of all those which it has been my privilege to address during the present campaign."

Passing on, he said that there was

inspiration to Moncton, but leave it to the Grand Trunk Pacific Company, which was to pay interest upon it except for seven years. Well, sir, if we build the railway and borrow the money to do so at three per cent interest that will be covered by the payment of interest we receive from the Grand Trunk Pacific under the lease. If a road cost one million or two million the interest you pay out with one hand you put into your pocket with the other. If we had made the condition that the company should commence payment as soon as the road was completed not a dollar would you have to pay, but for seven years the interest is to be borne by the Canadian people, and after seven years it will be borne by the G. T. P. I estimated that the cost to us for seven years of the interest would be \$15,000,000. Perhaps in this I have been too generous. I didn't expect that times would be so good as they have been since. I did not expect that the cost of labor would increase 25 per cent and materials 35 per cent or more."

Sir Wilfrid also referred to the proposal to build a railway to Hudson's Bay.
How Labor Has Benefited.
"What else have we done? My friend Mr. Lemieux has told you what we have done for labor. We have done for labor what has never been done by any other government in the world, I dare say. The cause of labor has taken on a new aspect, being laboring man of today is no longer the semi-slave he was formerly. He is a fellow-citizen now in every particular."

He has rights which must be protected, and which are protected by the present Government. Mr. Lemieux has told you that we have abolished the sweating system. Yes, there are no more sweating shops in Canada here a man has to work sixteen hours a day for a thankful master. We have brought in the law of conciliation by which disputes between employer and employee can be determined without recourse to the extreme and dire penalty of a strike. There is a department of labor, and in the organization of that department of labor my friend, Mr. King, has taken an active part. I think that at the first opportunity I shall submit to my colleagues that the time has come when we should have the department of labor under a separate minister. (Cheers.) The department is big enough, the work is heavy enough and important enough to require the whole time, energy and attention of a minister of the crown, such as the department of railways and the department of public works. I repeat that at the very first opportunity I shall submit to my colleagues, I shall submit to the people of Canada and to the parliament of Canada, that the time has come when we should take this new step in the national development of our country."

The Hon. Geo. P. Graham delivered a short speech, in the course of which he said that if Mr. Foster's system of financial logic were correct, then Bertha, instead of being prosperous, was really poverty-stricken. Cheers for the Premier and the candidate concluded the proceedings.

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To Every Boy or Girl in London

Who Will Bring Three of the Following Orders to The Advertiser Office

I hereby state that I have not taken The London Advertiser regularly for the past thirty days and in consideration of The Advertiser furnishing a Gun Metal Watch free to

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I order The London Advertiser and agree to pay for the same at the rate of 10 cents per week for at least twelve (12) weeks.

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Date..... Address.....

SIR WILFRID LAURIER ACTS TO SETTLE C. P. R. STRIKE

The Trades and Labor Congress Telegram Asking Intervention Is Forwarded to Mr. Shaughnessy and Strike Leaders and Early Conciliation Suggested.

Berlin, Sept. 24.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier will use his influence to obtain if possible a settlement of the C. P. R. machinists' strike, and avert the serious consequences which it threatens to those concerned therein.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier today received the following telegram from Halifax: "The Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, in convention assembled, cannot but view with extreme regret the circumstances of the trouble between the C. P. R. and the employees, resulting, as it has already done, in great loss to the whole people, and threatening, if continued, to administer such a check to the progress of Canada as it will take years to recover from."

"It is already apparent that if the parties are not brought together at once we shall have a repetition of the coal famine in the west, as the domestic coal mines are already shutting down because of lack of cars, and the result will be a dire calamity to the people of the west. The grain-growers are fearing a blockade and the cattlemen are also affected."

In Country's Interests.
"On all grounds, therefore, and without reference to the merits or demerits of the dispute, the congress, prompted by the best wishes for the interests of our country, requests that you, as the custodian of Canada's welfare, intervene to endeavor to settle the dispute, and we refer to the action of President Roosevelt in connection with the Pennsylvania coal strike as furnishing a happy precedent."

"The congress will be very glad to render all assistance possible."

"Without desiring to hamper in any way, we suggest that perhaps the appointment of Prof. Adam Shortt, William Wallace Nesbitt, K. C., and John G. O'Donoghue, three men who have been eminently successful in settling similar disputes, and who have, it is believed, the confidence of the men and the company, to act in a friendly way for a peaceful settlement, might be of some avail."

"We request a reply."

(Signed), P. M. DRAPER, "Secretary."

The Premier's Reply.

At noon the Premier sent the following reply:

"For all the reasons stated in your telegram, and others also not therein mentioned, I agree with you that the strike of the C. P. R. employees is most deplorable, that it may lead to very serious consequences to the community, and must be most injurious to the men and to the company."

"I would point out in regard to the suggestion that I follow the course adopted by President Roosevelt in the coal strike, that through legislation enacted by Parliament some eighteen months ago, this step has already been taken. President Roosevelt, by the consent of the parties, secured an investigation of the matters in dispute by a tribunal in which both sides and the public were represented. In the present dispute the parties, in respect of their wishes, have been obliged to submit the differences between them to a board, which has made a full inquiry."

Mutual Consent Necessary.

"As to the suggestion that the parties be compelled to refer the dispute to a second board, the personnel of which has been named by the congress, and be asked to abide by the award, I would point out that there is no legislation which gives me power to compel such a reference."

"Any action which can now be taken must be by the mutual consent of both parties."

Promises Further Action.

"I am, therefore, today forwarding a copy of your telegram to representa-

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FRIDAY,
SEPT. 25

A Pleasant Dress Goods Store

The brilliant light in our new Richmond street store shows the beauties of the new autumn Dress Goods (their imperfections, too, if they have any). In this splendidly-lighted section are the novelties and best staple productions from the best weaving countries in the world. Reading of one or two described in this paper each day is too slow an education in styles. You must see them. New ones are continually arriving, the latest being a line of large block-checked Vicunas at \$1.00 yard. They are in cardinal and black, navy and black, brown and black, olive and black and purple and black checks one inch square. This sharp turn in the style is just a hint of what is coming in the near future. See them for winter Suits or odd Skirt, 50-inch, per yard \$1.00

Fancy Plaid Suitings, \$1.50

A distinct Worsted Twill weave with stripe of contrasting shades, creating very rich effects in the new autumn colorings, good weight and serviceable for coat suits; 50-inch, per yard \$1.50

Chevron Stripe Worsteds, \$1.25

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Smooth and soft in finish, medium weight, fine chevron stripes, solid wool and clean weaving, in dark copenhagen, light, mid and dark navy; light, mid and dark brown; myrtle and olive green; beautiful quality; 48 inches wide; per yard \$1.25

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Black Voile, 50c up to \$2.50 Yard

Our importations this season from England and France include all the fashionable plain, as well as the new shadow stripes and bordered weaves. Women who once wear a voile dress or skirt find it essential to their actual comfort. It is wonderfully useful; it can go anywhere, any time. It can be ceremonious or most simple.

Plain Black Voiles, per yard 50c, 75c, 85c, \$1.00 to \$1.35
Striped Black Voiles, per yard 75c, 85c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00
Plain Black Voile, with handsome woven borders, per yard \$1.75 to \$2.50

English Worsted Twills in Black

Worsted, sister to Cheviot, will be very much used this winter for all sorts of tailored suits. At present we have an immense variety in fine and heavy twills, these resist hard usage more successfully perhaps than any other fabric, and nothing looks better.

Finished Twills---Black---Unfinished Twills

These are the smooth surface Worsteds, fine and heavy twills, 44 to 60 inches wide, at, yard 75c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2

These have covered twill surface. A sort of Vicuna make, but in finer quality and softer wool; 44 to 52 inches wide. Yard 75c, 85c, \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50

Skirt Making

With larger staff, larger workrooms and better facilities for turning out work quickly in our new building, where the whole fifth floor is devoted to manufacturing ladies' garments, we announce today that we are in a position to execute separate skirt orders on three days' notice. (Inquire at Dress Goods counter.)

Store closes
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Buy Dependable Clothes

The QUALITY should be a matter for careful consideration. GOOD-LOOKING clothes are not really so difficult to find. But when you buy a good-looking garment containing cheap, indifferent workmanship you must not forget that the good looks won't remain. See to it that you buy clothing that's not only good to look at, but dependable for wear.

In a nutshell, you want style, quality and shape-retaining features in your clothes.

SOVEREIGN BRAND fills the bill exactly or money refunded. Drop in and let us show you the new things in Sovereign Brand Suits at prices no more than you'll pay in some stores for poor stuff. Sovereign Brand Suits \$12.00 to \$20.00

Some splendid Suits—Oak Hall Specials—just in, at \$6, \$7, \$8 and \$10

FOR SATURDAY—Turnbull's Natural Wool Underwear and Stanfield's light and heavy winter weights. Special, per suit \$1.75

MEN'S SHIRTS, light and dark patterns, attached cuffs; \$1.00 quality. Special Saturday 59c

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Wm. Gibson, Mgr.

atives of the parties, and on receipt of their replies will take such further action as is possible in the circumstances.

(Signed), WILFRID LAURIER.

"ALLEY WORKER" SENTENCED.
Toronto, Sept. 24. — For stealing \$41 from the pockets of Thomas Tabor, Lizzie Davis, a young colored woman, was sent to the Central Prison by the police magistrate this morning to serve a sentence of three months. The woman is one of a gang of colored vagrants who came to the city a month ago, and owing to their peculiar methods of robbing have earned the name of "alley workers." Two other colored people, Lizzie Davis and her husband, were allowed out on their own bail.

A REQUIEM SERVICE.

Ottawa, Sept. 24. — The general synod of the Church of England in Canada has decided to hold a requiem service at the Christ Church Cathedral here while the funeral service to the late Bishop Carmichael is proceeding in Montreal. It was impossible to adjourn the synod, and a delegation has gone to Montreal to attend the funeral.