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## THE SEARCH FOR UNUSUAL GIFTS BRINGS THE CROWDS TO SIMPSON'S STORE

## Dainty and Serviceable Wear For Women

Monday will bring out a new group of the tasteful Dance Dresses for women and young girls that have become a popular feature of our Women's Wear Sections. One is of messaline silk, with all-over lace waist and panelled skirt, Dutch neck and

three-quarter sleeves, make these very useful as well as attractive dresses; colors are pink, blue and ivory. Very low-priced at, each ..... 22.00

Another dress of ninon over silk is in one piece, with high waist-band effect, semi-low neck, outlined with silk embroidered designs, and the new skirt draped to knee line, and trimmed to match waist; shades are mauve, blue 

Coats for Motoring or Street Wear, of imported mole and navy corduroy, are rubber lined. They are made up in smart English Raglan style, the straight back, hanging loose from the shoulder, and are buttoned up to throat with mannish turn-over 

Coat of German beaver, in green, brown, navy and black, is made up with semi-fitted back, and double-breast; is buttoned up to throat with a turnover collar, overlaid with moire silk, 

With the experience of many Christmas rushes to guide us, we have made preparations for these last three weeks of strenuous gift buying.

You will find materials in abundance, displayed so that choosing will be easy. Our force of clerks will be sufficient to make shopping quick. Nevertheless, come early -early in the day-early in the week.

### The Books You Have to Buy

You will profit most by early shopping when your purchases are books, as we now have many odd editions and special prices.

Toasts and Maxims. A most acceptable because use ful gift book, with numerous illustrations. Special price, The Bell Book, of Dickens' Christmas Carol, illustrated and boxed in handsome holly box. Price, each

tion," handsomely bound and boxed. Price .... 1.50
"The Water Bables," by Kingsley, pictured by George

### For Toilet and Work Table

25 only, Men's Shaving Stands, heavily plated, bev mirror, including brush and mug. Regular \$3.50. 

### Handkerchiefs at Half Price

Women's Pure Irish Linen Handkerchiefs, Hemstitched, of very fine quality. Regularly 15 cents each; 

Men's Pure Irish Linen Handkerchiefs, 1/2-inch hem. Regularly 15 cents each, 2 for .... .... ... ... ... ... ... .15 No Phone Orders. Only half doz. to a Customer.

### Other Handkerchief Values

Madeira and Corner Embroidered Handkerchiefs, the daintiest of designs. In Xmas Greeting boxes. Each 25c; 3 for \$1.00, 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50. Thousands of Irish lawn Handkerchiefs for boys and

girls, white and white with colored border: picture hand-kerchiefs for the children. 10 for 25c, 4 for 25c, 3 for 10c, and 6 for 25c. White Lawn Lace trimmed, 3 for 9c. Men's Indigo Blue and Turkey Red Bandanna Hand-kerchiefs, in polka dots and figures, best quality, fast colors, 6 for 25c, 4 for 25c, 3 for 25c, and 2 for 25c.

Men's Lawn Handkerchiefs, with hemstitched bor ders, at 6 for 25c, 4 for 25c, 3 for 25c. Men's White Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, all pure linen, narrow and wide hems. Price 10c, 121/2c, 15c, 20c,

25c. 35c. 50c and 75c each. Men's Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, pure linen with narrow and wide hem, with all initials, except X., Y., Z. Price 25c each, and 3 for \$1.00.

Men's Mercerized Handkerchiefs, soft and silky, colored borders, 2 for 25c, 3 for 25c, and 4 for 25c. Men's Japanese Silk Handkerchiefs, hemstitched each 25c and 50c.

Men's or Boys' White Lawn Handkerchiefs, initialed



gladness and good-will radiates from the man with a new house coat? It's impossible to be glum in such attractive ones as we're offering tomorrow. Grey, brown, green, any color that you like, a rich imported cloth, corded edges, sleeves and pockets, with plaid cuffs, collars and apels. Monday .... 7.75

A more costly Coat, in the same style as the foregoing, but more highly finished ...... 14.00

Bath Robes, new shades in mauve and grey mixed Terry Cloth, with cord and Another style made of Austrian blanket cloth, in

fancy patterns, a handsome Christmas gift .... 7.50 Dressing Gowns, light grey cloth, trimmed with a green satin facing and cuffs, best of trimmings. 15.00 Also new camel hair cloth Dressing Gowns, with

dark seal brown trimmings, fine corded edges, sleeves and pockets, silk girdle ...... 18.00 CLEARING BOYS' BLOUSE SUITS \$2.49.

Odd sizes in Russian Suits taken from our regular stock; at a price

that is farbelow cost, we are clearing Monday about 110 Boys' Suits. The

Russian suits are for boys from 2 to 7 years, and the blouse suits for boys

from 5 to 9 years. The different lines are nicely trimmed with fancy orna-

ments, and linings to match. Sizes 20 to 27. Monday ... 2.49

Arm Bands, value 15c, and one pair of Garters, value 25c. Total value 75c. A

pretty range of colors to choose from. A most useful Christmas present. Buy the

Penman's Natural Wool "St. George" brand, wool and camel's hair mixtures; "Body Guard" brand, and several broken lines. Regular to \$2.00. Monday 1.00

Men's Golf-Shape Caps, 8-4 crown, medium peak and wind protector, fur lined

Men's Leather and Corduroy Caps, driver shape, fur lined ear bands. Mon-

Men's, Boys' and Girls' Wool Toques, in plain or honeycomb stitch, complete

ONE DOLLAR PER GARMENT.

MEN'S CAPS AND TOQUES

CHRISTMAS BOXES IN MEN'S FURNISHINGS.

Men's Suspenders, Garters, Arm Bands or Silk Neckties, beautifully put up in

Half-Price

Hats. They are all worth seeing, and embody the newest modes.

## All the Comforts of Home

For Christmas Giving The Basement contains a wealth of home-making materials, among which you are certain to find gift suggestions that will solve some of your worst problems. Remarkable values are everywhere for sensible buyers who appreciate that comforts are more than luxuries, even at Christmastide. The useful gift is always the best gift. Monday's Specials include Many.

Buck Saws, Happy Medium Brand, regular 50c, Monday,

Ash Sifters, galvanized, reg-

ular 25c, Monday ..... 19
Strong Steel Shovels, long
handle for snow or furnace,

regular 45c, Monday .. .29
Arctic Snow Shovel, long

HARDWARE Carpenter's Brace, polished 10-inch sweep, Stanley make, claw Hammers, strong household size, Monday, 15c Horizontal Rim Locks and

handle, regular 25c, Mon-Porcelain Knobs, regular 40c; vanized; gallon capacity; guaranteed and tested for 200 lbs. pressure; Monday, 4.50 regular 65c; Monday .. .47

TINWARE Square Gas Toaster, holds four Household Scales, weigh up to 24 lbs. by ounces, Government tested and stamped, a reliable spring scale, with large tin scoop and regulating screw, \$3.00 valhandle. Regularly 15c. Mon ue. Monday ...... 1.49
Oval Footbaths, tin, regularly fire Shovels, black Japanned, short handles. Monday .... 4

LAUNDRY AND WOODENWARE The Vacuum Washing Machine, heavy non-rusting, galvanized iron tub, in varnished hardwood frame; washes quick and clean, and does not tear the clothes. Regularly \$15.00. Monday, 8.98 

No Stint in the China Supply With prices like those we offer for Monday, and such quality, there should be dishes in plenty for every table in Toronto. Monday's specials for gift and home use:-\$38.00 DINNER SET, MONDAY \$25.00.

102 pieces, genuine Carlsbad China, with handsome gold band decoration, teas and knobs of burnished gold. Monday's decided special, per set ... ..... 25,00 Marble Statuary—A few selected pieces, including Venus de Milo, Wagner, etc. Monday, each .... 5,000 75 doz. Etched Tumbiers, beautiful designs, Monday, doz. ..... 1,00 Salt and Pepper Shakers, glass top, semi-cut, per

35 pieces, Rich Sparkling Glassware a choice assortment, comprising tall lemonade jugs, 8-inch fruit bowls, bon bon dishes, celery trays, etc. Monday special 7.50 Brass Candlesticks, of heavy cast brass, brightly finish-

#### Fresh Wall Paper Staples for Table and Behind the Xmas Decorations Bed

### Prepare for the Home Coming

The snowy table and the cosy beds are excellent promoters of Christmas cheer. Monday we make some prices that will help you to furnish both.

Satin Damask Table Cloths, all linen, finest bleach, elegant bordered designs, sturdy cloths, 2 x 2½ yards long. A splendid Christmas gift. Monday, each ..... 1.98

Flannelette Blankets or Winter Sheets, very large size, 70 x 84 inches, white only, pink or blue border, superior quality. 300 pairs only, Monday, per pair ..... 1.29

White Satin Quilts for Double Beds, superior English make, elegant scroll and floral designs, very fine weave and good weight, 11/2 size for full double beds; only about 80 to sell. Each Monday ...... 2.68

Half a Hundred Horse Blankets to clear, some jute, some duck covering, Kersey lined, shaped and strapped, and some with stay on, Regular 15c yard, Monday, yard .. .8 full sizes. Regular \$2.25, \$2.50 and \$2.75 each Regular 25c yard, Monday, yard .. .14 Monday .... Linen Dept., 2nd floor.

## An Oriental Suggestion---Rugs as Remembrances

Could anything recall more pointedly the Christmas story, or meet with a more hearty welcome for itself, than these small Oriental Rugs?

Here is an exceptionally fine range in small pieces, including Sarouks, Shiraz, Moussoul, Kazak, Feraghan, Afghans and Bokhara. From these we have selected a group of Karahagh Mats, Daghestans and Bokharas, about 3-6 x 2-9, \$6.75; about 5-0 x 3-9, \$21.00, \$25.00 and \$27.50; about 4-8 x 3-6, \$29.50 to \$75.00. Afghans offer very special values, about 5-6 x 3-10, \$24.75 to \$40.00.

A new consignment of Scotch Inlaid and Printed Linoleums, including tile and floral effects, are of immediate and practical interest:-

So simple and easy to get that it need

not interrupt the holiday preparations. Choose this morning and let us get busy

promptly. We offer 30 kinds and more.

giving free scope for the papering of the

dingy room anywhere from kitchen to

Regular price \$2.00, Monday . 1.20

Regular price \$3.00, Monday . 1.80

Regular price \$4.00, Monday . 2.40

Regular price \$5.00, Monday . 3.00

Regular price \$7.00, Monday . 4.20

Regular price \$10.00, Monday 6.00

2,500 yards, cut-outs, friezes and de-

Regular 8c yard, Monday, yard .. .4

room measuring 12 x 14 feet.

Notice these special prices for any

drawing room.

Inlaids, \$1.25, \$1.00 and 85c square yard Printed Linoleums, 45c and 40c square

Floor Cloths, 32c and 27c square yard.

Also a Special Value, Heavy Axminster

Carpets, with borders and stairs to match. in various designs and colors. Price, \$1.50 per yard.

Large Values in

Sacrifices to arouse your interest on won-derful array of artistic fixtures. Two-Light Electric Fixtures, brushed brass, fitted complete with shades. Regular \$4.00, Monday ..... 2.75
Three-Light Parlor Electroller, finished

complete with crystal drop shades; very handsome. Regular \$10.00, Monday 6.95 Special Electric Portable Lamps, with bent glass dome in amber or green and statuette base, fitted with cord and plug ready for use. Reg. \$14.00, Monday 9.89

# Flannelette Waists

There are several styles and various patterns in the material which combine to make this an exceptional offering; all sizes are included. Regularly \$1.00. Monday ..... 49

### New Millinery

Ask to be shown three special hats made for Monday's selling, Reception Hats, Fur Hats, Large Dress.

## Oh. You Beautiful Doll!

Even you "grownups" will gasp in bewilderment when asked to choose the doll for the little mother at home from our wonderful array in the basement Better yet, the prices vary as widely as the pocket-books that are opened to buy these Christmas necessities. Come now, when the Stocks are Fresh,

JOINTED KID DOLLS AT 89c. All the good points in doll structure are shown in these 18 1/2-inch dolls. The knees are slip-jointed and joints at shoulder and hip allow of many natural attitudes. 500 1,000 Plush Horses, well modelled horses, Boys' Tool Chests, containing carpenter's

set on a platform and wheels. Monday, 35c. 25c and 15c. White, Woolly Dogs. Monday, 25c and 35c. Children's Paint Boxes, with paint brush, Dolls' Beds, with wire springs, oak fin-

"Queen Quality"

Announcement

We beg to announce having just

passed into stock a special shipment

of "Queen Quality" boots, in all

MEN'S SLIPPERS, 99c.

854 Pairs Men's Slippers; tan, choco-

late and black dongola kid leather; Opera,

Romeo and Everett styles; flexible soles;

sizes 6 to 11. Regular values \$1.25, \$1.50,

\$1.75 and \$2.00. Monday ................99

leathers, styles, sizes and widths.

ish, from a manufacturer's clearing. Regularly 50c. Monday ... .23
4-piece Dining Set, oak finish. Monday .15 6-piece Dining Set. oak finish, Monday .25

Hand Crochet Wool

# uality,ruche top and leather covered soles, come

Slippers

in red, red with black, all black, black and helio, sky blue, blue with grey, pink and grey; sizes Clearing of Women's Union

### Suits 110 Suits the balance of a heavy winter line

of Women's Combinations, made of heavy ribbed white cotton, with high neck, long sleeves and ankle length, sizes 32 to 38 bust. They button in front. Monday, while they last ...... .55

### Flannelette Nightdresses Regular prices are cut one-third or more and

give big value Monday on a factory clearance of overmakes. Every garment is superior in quality and finish. In white or pink, frill trimmed, all sizes. Regular price 85c each, Monday, each .63 Plain white or pink, made with tucks and frills, all sizes. Regular prices \$1.00 and \$1.25 dery and a ruffle of goods; all sizes. Regular price \$1.65 each. Monday, each ...... 1.00

### Groceries

Wide Awake Soap, best quality, 6 cakes 25c; Fels Naphtha Soap, per bar, 5c; Surprise. Sunlight and Taylor's Borax Soap. 6 bars 25c; Comfort and Eclipse Soap, 6 bars 25c; Heather Brand Soap, 7 bars 25c; Simpson's Big Bar Soap, per bar, 10c; Santa Claus and Victor Soap, 6 bars Pearline, 1-lb. package, 11c; Old Dutch Cleanser, 3 tins 25c; Sapolio, per cake, 8c; Powdered Ammonia, large package, 3 packages 25c; Naphtha Powder, package, 5c; Gold Dust Washing Powder, large package, 23c; Lux Washing Powder, 3 packages 25c; Taylor's Soap Powder, 2 packages 9c; Royal Blue, 2 packages 7c; White Swan Lye, per tin, 7c: Canada White Laundry Starch, 1-lb. package, 7c; Bon Ami, per cake, 12c; Swift's Pride Cleanser, 3 tins 25c.

5 LBS. CELONA TEA, \$1.15. 1,000 lbs. Pure Celona Tea, of uniform quality and fine flavor, black or mixed,

Monday ..... 5 lbs. 1.15

### Materials for Dress and Suit

tools. Monday 25c, 50c, \$1.00, \$1.25 and

1.200 yards Black Satin Paillette, 39 inch wide, extra heavy quality, for waists, dresses, slips, etc. Less than manufacturer's price. Reg. 

Colored Dress Silks, complete clearance of broken lines, in satin de chene and duchesse paillettes; good lengths and choice colorings. Widths 38 and 40 inch, clearing at per yard .98

Rich Black Chiffon Dress Velveteen, fast pile, best dye and finish, guaranteed quality. 48 inches wide. Reg. \$4.00 Monday, per yard., 3.00

### Reversible Coatings

These new goods are exceedingly popular, easy to make up and both handsome and warm. They show all the best color combinations. Warm fleecy finish that tailor into smart garments. New blues, greys, tans, browns, greens, etc., with contrasting plain and check backs. Prices \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50 per yard. Oress Goods Dept., 2nd floor.

### Oak Goods—Silver-Mounted Eagerly-Sought Gift Stock

We need only announce this large shipment of English Oak Goods to secure interest. are Polished Oak Salt Cellars, porcelain lined, with English plated bands, with spoon. 

Oak Butter Plates, with English plated rims, quaint willow patterned lining, and butter knife Polished Oak Butter Tubs, are porcelain

lined, have English electro cover on nickel silver and handles, or without cover and having butter trowels to match. Special ...... 1.98 Oak Biscuit Jars, porcelain lined, have English electro plated cover and

hoops. Special .... 1.98

English Plated Dinner

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Gongs, in polished oak







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