

# GRAND CASH CLEARANCE SALE

COMMENCING  
Saturday, January, 16th, and ending Saturday, February, 1st.

Positively no extension of time, as after that date, we commence stock taking, our object of this sale being to reduce our stock as much as possible before that date. Note this bargain offered and you will buy.

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| <b>White &amp; Black Silk Waists.</b><br>Angora or Mohair Rugs, \$6.50 to \$4.58<br>Alexandra Rugs, 2.75 to 2.00<br>Alexandra Rugs, 2.25 to 1.75<br>Alecmaah Rugs, 1.45 to .90<br>Austrian Rugs reversible, 1.10 to .79<br>Angora or Mohair Mats \$1.50 to 1.15<br>Axminster Mats, 1.10 to .79<br>Alexandra Mats, .60 to .45<br>Austrian Mats reversible, .45 to .39 | <b>Rugs &amp; Door Mats</b><br>Regular, 60c. per yd. for 39c. yd.  | <b>12 Piece Mixed Suitings</b><br>Regular, 60c. per yd. for 39c. yd.   |
| <b>Alpaca Waists.</b><br>Crown, Navy, Red Black<br>Now only \$1.10<br>Regular price \$1.75   | <b>Men's Fur Caps</b><br>German Otter, Persian Lamb, Astrachan<br>Regular Price, \$2.75, 3.75, 5.00<br>Sale Price, \$1.98, 2.75, 3.50  | <b>Mixed Suitings</b><br>Regular Price .38 to .30 yd.<br>Sale Price .25 to .19 yd.   |
| <b>Flannelette Waists</b><br>60c. reduced to .39   | <b>Cotton Blankets</b><br>Regular Price, 1.10<br>Sale Price, .50   | <b>28 in. Tweed Suitings</b><br>Regular Price .89, 1.05, 1.25, 1.35<br>Sale Price .59, .75, .85, .98                       |
| <b>Ladies' Flannelette Night Gowns</b><br>Regular price, .58, 1.10, 1.15<br>Sale price, .65 @ .79, .85   | <b>Wadded Quilts, 72 x 72</b><br>Regular Price, 1.88, 2.50, 3.25, 3.25<br>Sale Price, 1.35, 1.60, 1.75, 2.25   | <b>Ohenille Portieres</b><br>Regular Price \$3.25 to 3.75<br>Sale Price \$2.25 to 2.65                                     |
| <b>30 PER CENT OFF 30</b><br>Ladies and Childrens Underwear and Hosiery  | <b>30 Per Cent Discount Allowed on all the following lines, viz.</b><br>Toques, Cloaks, Fabric Gloves, Ladies' Carriage Jackets, Infants' Wool Dressing, Boots, Infanterie, Coats, Waists, mufflers, wool overalls, etc. | <b>Ohenille Table Covers</b><br>Regular Price .65, 1.25, 3.75<br>3 X 3 1/2 " 5.60, 5.60, 3.98<br>Sale Price .45, .90, 2.65 |
| <b>A Discount of 30 per cent. off all Ladies Fur Goods, comprising</b><br>Coats, Caps, Muffs, Ruffs, Stoles, Collars, Scarfs, Boas, etc.   | <b>Men's Fur Goods.</b><br>1 only, Wombat Coat.<br>Reg. Price \$25.00 Yours for \$19.50  | <b>Union Carpet Squares</b><br>3 X 3 yds. Regular price 4.75 now 3.50<br>3 1/2 X 4 " 7.45 " 5.50                           |
| <b>Men's Fur Collars.</b><br>Regular Price, \$3.75, 2.98, 5.50, 6.50<br>Sale Price \$2.75, 2.10, 3.98, 4.75  | <b>Men's Fur Hats.</b><br>Mens and Boys Furnishings, 30 per cent off Overcoats, Reders, Ready-to-wear Clothing, Caps, Pants, Overall, Top Shirts, Shirts and Drawers, Sweats, etc.                                       | <b>Wool Carpet Squares</b><br>3 X 3 1/2 yds. Regular price 7.85 now 5.15<br>3 1/2 X 4 " 10.50 " 7.65                       |

## STRONG & WHITMAN Ruggles Block 'Phone 32

**\$20,000,000 Fortune in the Vaults of the Bank of England.**  
NEW YORK, January 17—Descendants of General Israel Putnam, of revolutionary fame, will within a few days, hold a family council at which plans will be made to prove the right of the family to a fortune of \$20,000,000, which is said to be lying in the vaults of the Bank of England. The move is the result of the receipt of a letter from the trustees at London, asking if the family intended making any further attempt to prove its right to the money. The last attempt to secure the fortune was made by Miss Clara Putnam, a descendant of the original owners of the estate and when she had practically completed her work all her papers were destroyed by fire. So great was the shock to her that she died. Since then nothing has been done by other members of the family.

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It costs as much to keep a lame horse as it does a horse in harness—and the cripple brings nothing in. You can't afford to support idle stock. That's why you can't afford to wait.

**Kendall's Spavin Cure**  
It takes away the pain and stiffness from Spavins and Bruises—draws the swollen out of Strained Muscles and Tendons—CURES Sprains, Soft Bunches and Swellings. Used for two generations by two nations.

**KATHERINE STATION, Oct. 15, 1904.**  
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**M. K. PIPER, PROPRIETOR AND PUBLISHER.**  
WEDNESDAY, January 22nd, 1908.  
**Interfering With Canadian Shipping Rights.**

A correspondent to the Herald writes as follows:  
I take this opportunity of protesting against the shipping of Norway, a foreign country, coming into our waters, and driving our own shipping out of business. I feel that I have a right to speak not only as one of the representatives in the legislature of the county of Richmond, but as well as a shipowner interested in the life of Canadian shipping.  
It is an unfair and an unjust thing that our coasters should be discriminated against in favor of foreign bottoms at coal ports. That is un-Canadian. The treatment of which Captain Lawrence Grier and the other captains who signed the published protest complain should not have been put upon them; and my opinion is that they should be protected by the government of the country to which they give allegiance.  
If the Norwegian ships only come into our trade by an order-in-council, the government should revoke that order-in-council, and protect our vessels and their owners. Instead of building up Canadian shipping it will be wiped out of existence.  
Vessels flying the United States flag cannot trade between Canadian ports. That is how I understand the matter. But Norwegian ships are permitted to come in and take possession of our coasting trade, and drive out our own ships.  
I think every fair-minded man will agree that this is not doing justice to our own people. FELIX LANDRY, Decemore, January 14.

**DON'T TAKE THE RISK.**  
When you have a bad cold or cough do not let it drag along until it becomes chronic bronchitis or develops into an pneumonia, but give prompt attention to it. Remedy and get rid of it. Take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and you are sure of prompt relief. From a small beginning the cold and cough will spread to the throat and to many foreign countries. Its many remarkable cures of coughs and colds have won for it this wide reputation and extensive use. Sold by W. A. Warren, Ph. B., and Bear River Drug Store.

**THE POPE HAS GOUT ATTACK.**  
ROME, January 17—Owing to an attack of gout the Pope has been reluctantly obliged to suspend his audiences. He was visited yesterday by his private physician, Dr. Dipolotto, who insisted that the pontiff go to bed.

**BRITISH CORPORATION DISPOSES OF RIGHTS IN SHANSHI, CHINA.**  
PEKIN, January 17—Officials of Shansi province have recovered from the Pekin syndicate, a British corporation, all the concession rights held by the syndicate in Shansi. The long negotiations in an endeavor to reach a compromise were closed yesterday by the syndicate agreeing to accept 7,700,000 taels, payable in four years, and quit the province.

**THE WORD SOVEREIGN** is a symbol of quality.  
On a bottle of **VANILLA** it stands for all that is best.  
The National Drug & Chemical Co., Limited, Halifax.

### Japanese Fleet Movement Causing Anxiety.

TOKIO, January 17—The foreign office in receipt of a despatch from Washington pointing out that there is much uneasiness in America in consequence of sensational reports emanating from Europe concerning the distribution of the Japanese fleet. While not inclined to treat the matter seriously, the Japanese officials have assured the Associated Press that the governments of the various countries are in possession of all the facts connected with Japan's distribution of their warships through their attaches at Tokio.

TOKIO, January 15—The diplomatic relations between China and Japan over the proposed Siam-China-Ankum railway have reached a stage wherein Japan has assumed a most firm attitude and has assured China that a railroad paralleling the South Manchuria shall not be built because it violates her spirit and the letter of the Peking treaty. A British syndicate has proposed to build the railroad.  
The correspondent of the Associated Press has been informed by the authorities at Tokio that under no circumstances will Japan permit construction to commence. In reply to the question, "What will you do about it?" a member of the cabinet replied "We will stop it."

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"I have used your Coltsfoot Expecto-rant and find it satisfactory in cases of cough, colds or coughs. I have used it ever since I got a trial bottle, and have recommended it to everyone I need of it. You may use my name and address for testimonials if you wish. Hoping it will benefit others as it has done my children, I remain,  
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2c. for Free Sample Today.

**\$1,000,000 TO FIGHT DISEASE.**  
A Single Benefactor in New York Has Provided a Magnificent Tuberculosis Fund.  
ALBANY, January 15—Homer Folta secretary of the State Charities Aid Association, with a force of investigators and clerical assistants, opened permanent headquarters in this city today for the promotion of a campaign against tuberculosis in the fifty-seven counties outside of Greater New York. It will take at least five years to perfect local organization throughout the State, and the total cost will probably reach \$1,000,000.  
The movement has been made possible by the subscription of a single benefactor whose name is withheld as one of the conditions of the gift.

**CASTORIA For Infants and Children.**  
The Kind You Have Always Bought  
Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. H. H. H.*  
CAUSES OF DIFFICULTIES IN JAPANESE BUDGET.  
TOKIO, January 17—It is conceded among the financiers of Japan that the difficulties in the budget are entirely due to two causes, over expenditure for the army and the navy, and the nationalization of railroads, which is now considered to have been a vital error in national finance.

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**SEEKING SURVIVORS OF A LOST BRITISH SHIP**  
SEATTLE, Wash., January 17—The revenue cutter Perry and Thetis left Seattle last night to seek for the survivors of the British ship Hartwell, believed to be lost off the west coast of Vancouver Island.

**The Virtue of Flaxseed** as a medicine for Coughs, Colds and all Irritations of the Throat and Chest has long been recognized.  
**SIMSON'S FLAXSEED EMULSION**  
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**Depression in Diamond Trade.**  
JOHANNESBURG—An outcome of the depression in the diamond industry negotiations have been opened between the two great producing companies—the De Beers and the Premier Mining Company—with a view to limiting the output while diamonds remain practically unobtainable.  
**YOUNG ITALIAN SHOT.**  
A Murder Committed by One of a Carousing Party in Baltimore.  
BALTIMORE, January 17—A young Italian, known among his acquaintances as Ernest Douglas, and who is said to have claimed membership in a noble and wealthy Italian family, was yesterday found in his room in the house of his employer dead, with a bullet hole in his head. Police headquarters was communicated with by a man, Charlie Snyder, who said that Douglas had been murdered. On her information John J. Caulfield, son of a milkman, with whom Douglas had been employed, and Wm. Halgren, who lives in the same house as the Snyder woman, were arrested. Halgren was shot, and Caulfield had been committed, and that Caulfield had fired the shot. According to his story, they had all been of a party on a carouse.